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their home Christmas night. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Stuart Wyatt and Walter Lohman, of Bloomington; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Grogan and daughter, Annelle, of Pekin; Miss Rachel Lohman, of Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. S. Earl Purvine and daughter, Helen Stuart, of Pleasant Plains; Mr. and Mrs. John Gartner, daughter, Joanna and son, Jack; Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Lohman, Miss Lois Wyatt, all of Ashland.

## Dinner at Beadles Home

Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Beadles entertained at a family Christmas dinner at their home the following. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beadles, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beadles and Elmer Lee Beadles, of Bloomington.

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## News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Wertheim and daughters, Serena and Lena, of Lincoln, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stirling and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall and daughter, Miss Marietta, of Jacksonville, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs. Carl Sinclair and family, William Goff of Pleasant Plains, was also a dinner guest at the Sinclair home Tuesday evening.

Miss Maxine Ellis of Springfield, and Mr. C. O. Brown, of Terre Haute, Ind., were week-end guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ellis.

Tom Savage of Springfield, spent Christmas Day with his mother, Mrs. Louis L. Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Wallbaum and sons, Freddy and Billy, motored to Bloomington where they spent Christmas with Mr. Wallbaum's mother, Mrs. Alice Wallbaum.

Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair Savage and daughter Ann, of St. Charles, Mo., were holiday guests of his father, Walter W. Savage.

Postmaster and Mrs. William G. Gerling and V. C. Elmore spent Christmas Day at the home of Mrs. Cynthia Glenn and family, in Springfield.

Miss Martha Jane Baxter of Eureka College, Eureka, is spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Cooper and son, of Avenzie, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Way.

Otis Aggett, Jr., who attends Western State Teachers' College at Macomb, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Aggett, Sr.

Walter Lohman and Miss Catherine Lewis, who attend Illinois Wesleyan

University at Bloomington, are visiting at their respective homes for the holiday vacation.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles L. Coleman spent Christmas afternoon with their daughter, Miss Edith Coleman, who is a patient of the Palmer sanitarium at Riverfront.

Miss Harriett Spicer, who is studying nursing at Our Saviour's hospital, Jacksonville, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spicer.

## JERSEYVILLE CLASS

TO MEET: ISSUE TWO

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jerseyville.—The Esther Bible class of the Presbyterian church will hold its final meeting at the year Monday evening, Dec. 30, in the church basement. A potluck supper will precede the business meeting, following which reports for the year just closing will be given and plans for 1936 made.

The committee in charge of the meeting is composed of Mrs. W. B. May, Mrs. S. E. Pirtle, Mrs. Arch Nelson, Mrs. Margaret Daniels, Mrs. W. B. Greene, Mrs. Clifford Stanley, Mrs. E. C. Adams, Miss Marie Hall, and Mrs. Darr.

## Priest's Sister Dies

Rev. John J. Chaney, pastor of St. Francis Xavier's church, was called to Hot Springs, Ark., this week by the death of his sister, Sister Mary Gabriel, which occurred on Tuesday, Dec. 24. Funeral services were held Friday morning at Hot Springs, and interment was in Little Rock, Ark. Sister Mary Gabriel was a member of the Order of the Sisters of Mercy and had been ill for some time.

## Couples United

County Clerk Frank Seago issued a marriage license Thursday, Dec. 26, to Harley Hicks, aged 25 years, and Daisy Jewell Kimer, aged 26 years, of Alton. The couple was married by Justice Charles Mackelden.

A marriage license was also issued Thursday to William L. Starks, aged 27 years, of Verona and Eva Crouch aged 22 years, of Girard. They also were married by Justice Mackelden.

## LEAVES HOSPITAL

Mrs. William H. Rogers of South East street, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Passavant hospital, December 2, was able to return to her home Tuesday.

## TO THE PUBLIC

All barber shops and beauty parlors that use our service direct, or through "Clean Towel Service" are assured that all laundry delivered is thoroughly cleansed, free from hair, sterilized and in an absolutely sanitary condition.

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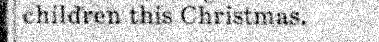
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## Heiress Hops Divorcee

Headed for that long-contemplated divorce, Princess Marian Snowden Rospiogioni is shown here, as she boarded a plane at Brownsville, Tex., for Mexico City. Rumor has it that the New York heiress will wed Louis F. Reed, Jr., of Orange, N. J., if she wins freedom from the Italian nobleman.

## Sara Spends Holiday With Grandpa

Not so much in the public eye as her cousins, Slatie and Fazzie Dall, little Sara Roosevelt had her fun on Christmas Day. She was the only child in the White House for the holiday and is shown here as she arrived with her grandfather, the president. Sara is 4, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Roosevelt.



## ELM GROVE SCHOOL HAS PROGRAM WITH TREAT FOR PUPILS



The following program was presented by the pupils of Elm Grove school, of which Lois McNeely is teacher:

Recitation, "Greetings"—Mardelle Maurer.

Recitation, "Bankruptcy"—Edward Brummett.

Recitation, "Brownie Christmas"—Junior Bettis.

Play, "A Sled for Christmas"—Nota Brummett.

Recitation, "Learning to Sew"—Nota Brummett.

Recitation, "This Way"—Dale Maurer.

Recitation, "Shopping"—Virgil Bettis.

"Drill of the Broken Toys"—Ten Children.

Recitation, "The Cook"—Stella Mae Bettis.

Recitation, "Santa Claus"—Clarence Hayes.

Recitation, "Down the Chimney"—Charles Bettis.

Recitation, "Child With a Ball"—Billy Rigg.

Jack in Box Drill—Dale Maurer and Charles Bettis.

Recitation, "Santa Claus"—Mardelle Maurer.

Recitation, "Effects of Christmas"—Mardelle Maurer.

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## MISS ALLEN HOSTESS AT ROODHOUSE PARTY

Roodhouse.—Miss Jean Allen entertained a group of friends Thursday evening at the country home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen. The early part of the evening was spent with games in keeping with the holiday season. Then Mrs. Allen served a delicious chili supper, after which the young folks danced until a late hour.

Those attending were Misses Lois McConathy, Betty Dunaven, Betty Fenton, Marion Locher, Virginia Johnston, Virginia Stewart of Chicago, and Messrs. Don Allen, Byron Battershell, Bobby Whitney, Kenneth McConathy, Carl Petrey, Eugene Keys, and Bernard Curvin.

## POSTPONE MEETING

The regular meeting of the Pine Point club has been postponed, on account of illness. The next meeting will be on Friday, January 10.

## PATIENT AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. H. Absher, 127 City Place, has entered Passavant hospital for medical treatment. She is suffering from a severe case of bronchitis.

## Probate Court Orders

Estate of John Andrew Caldwell—Final report on file, filed by the sole heir. Report approved, administrator discharged and estate closed.

Estate of Kate B. Greenleaf—Inventory approved.

Estate of Charles Hammond Hall—Renunciation of will by the widow, Bessie Greber Hall, filed and ordered recorded.

Estate of Eva L. McCormick—Ap-

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25c	35c Sloan's Liniment.....27c	50c
50c Nyal Cold Capsules.....39c	\$1.00 Squibbs Cod Liver Oil.....79c	
35c Hinkle Pills.....19c	30c Mentholatum.....24c	
\$1.00 Cardui.....79c	50c Lysol.....39c	
25c Ex-lax.....19c	75c Listerine.....39c	
35c Energine.....27c	\$1.00 Mar-O-Oil Shampoo.....67c	
90c Danderine.....49c	50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste.....39c	
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23c		29c

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Choice	
Special lot of 59c Articles.	39¢
Choice	
Special lot 79c to \$1.25 Articles.	50¢
Choice	

### Annual Clean-up Sale Handkerchiefs

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59c to \$1.00 Appenzella handwork Handkerchiefs	49¢
40c to 55c Hand embroidered Handkerchiefs	34¢
25c to 39c Hand embroidered Handkerchiefs	22¢
19c to 25c Linen prints Handkerchiefs	3 for 29¢
19c to 25c Hand applied Handkerchiefs	2 for 29¢
15c to 39c Linen Initial Handkerchiefs	2 for 25¢

### Children's Coats

(Third Floor)

Reduced prices on entire stock of Girl's Coats. Size ranges 3 to 14 years.	\$3.98 up
Children's Outing Pajamas, 79c garments	59¢
Prices reduced on three-piece Knit Suits, 1 to 3 years	\$1.59 up
Boys' Coat and Leggings and Cap Sets	\$5.98 up

### Corset Reduction

Close-out lot Gossard and Warner Wrap-Arounds. Regular \$2.00 and \$3.00	98¢
Corsets	
Close-out lot Warner's Wrap-Arounds and Stepsins. Regular \$3.50 to \$5.00	\$1.98
Corsets	

### Millinery Sale

Final clean-up entire stock winter millinery; desirable styles and values. All New Dots; formerly priced \$1.95 to \$4.95. Your choice of two lots	69¢ and \$1.95
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### Men's Socks and Mufflers

Close-out lot men's 35c and 50c Socks, pure silk, hile or wool. Choice	25¢ pr.
Special, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Boucle Mufflers	98¢

### Women's Pajamas

Special lot \$1.39 and \$1.50 Balbriggan pajamas	\$1.19
Close-out lot Silk Dance Sets and Slips. Values up to \$1.29. Your choice	59¢

### BLANKETS

Full size cotton sheet Blankets, good quality and weight, \$1.00 value	69¢
Heavy, all wool Blankets, satin binding. Special	\$4.98
Kenwood fine wool Blankets, regular \$9.00 quality	\$6.98

### Women's Underwear

Tuck-stitch Vests and Panties, warm and very elastic. Special	25¢
Close-out lot Panties and Bloomers, rayon, also pure silk and rayon. Tailored or lace trimmed. Values to \$1.00. Choice	50¢

### Silk Stockings

Women's Full Fashioned pure silk hose. First quality, all new winter shades.	59¢ pair
	2 pair for \$1.05

### Fabric Gloves

Close out lot Kayser quality Fabric Gloves. Includes 79c and \$1.00 values	59¢ pr.
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### Muff Bags

Fabric Muff Bags, fully equipped with zipper fastening. \$1.00 value. Choice	65¢
Alligator Grain Bags. \$1.00 and \$1.50 values. Brown, Blue and Black	79¢

### Sheets and Pillow Cases

Wear-Well Sheets, special quality muslins and finish. 81x99 in. size	\$1.19
Wear-Well Pillow Cases. Same quality, 42x36 in.	29¢

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## Dr. W. H. Corey and Suzanne Schaeffer Married Saturday

Impressive Nuptials Occur In Beautiful Ceremony at Trinity Church

A beautiful and impressive wedding ceremony of the holiday season was solemnized here yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Trinity Episcopal church, when Miss Suzanne Schaeffer, daughter of Mrs. Marian Chase Schaeffer, became the bride of Dr. Warren Howard Corey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Corey of this city. The Rev. George S. Patterson read the Episcopal double ring service. This date, Dec. 28, is also the birthday anniversary of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Chase.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Miriam Havighurst gave a fifteen minute organ recital including several favorite compositions of the bride: The Swan, by Saint-Saens; Londonderry Air, by Coleman; On Wings of Song, by Mendelssohn; and The Moonlight Sonata, by Beethoven.

Miss Frances Hannah Levy of Chicago, served as bridesmaid. On the first phrase of Wagner's "Wedding March" from Lohengrin, Miss Levy came down the church aisle to an altar banked with lighted fir trees, and she was followed by the bride.

Miss Schaeffer was attired in a sapphire blue velvet gown with blue accessories and she carried a colonial bouquet. The bride's maid wore Burgundy changeable taffeta, with contrasting accessories and a colonial bouquet.

The bride was met at the altar by the groom and was given in marriage by her mother, Mrs. Marian Chase Schaeffer. Mrs. Schaeffer was attired in a purple lace gown, with gold accessories. Calvin Corey, cousin of the groom, and teacher at St. John's Hospital in Springfield, Ill., served as best man. Ushers for the service were Mr. Harold Deeters and Mr. Milford Fordwood of this city. The organist played Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" as the recessional number.

Miss Schaeffer is a graduate of MacMurray College where she was a member of the Phi Nu society and of the Dramatic and International Relations organizations. She is also a member of the Alpha Xi Delta sorority and the American Association of University Women.

Dr. Corey was graduated from Washington University of St. Louis, Missouri, where he received his degree in dental surgery and was a member of the Xi Psi Phi fraternity. He is a practicing dentist in this city, with an office in the Professional Building.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, 818 West Douglas avenue. The table and dining room were decorated in the color scheme of silver and white, with white roses as a table centerpiece.

Immediately after the reception the bride couple left for a wedding trip. Mrs. Corey wore a brown serge suit, with brown accessories. Dr. and Mrs. Corey will be at home to friends in their first-floor apartment at 818 W. Douglas avenue, sometime after the first of the year.

Guests from out of town in attendance at the wedding and the reception were: Mrs. Henry Sulzer, Chicago; Miss Marian Dana, Toledo, Ohio; Mrs. Ola Blouke and Mrs. Edward Carus, LaSalle, Illinois; Mrs. Charles Baker and Mrs. William Kline, Beverly Hills, Calif.; Mrs. Charles Ogren, Evanston, Ill.; Miss Francis H. Levy, Chicago; Miss Meredith Story, Long Island, N. Y.; and Miss Elizabeth Dertinger, Bushnell, Illinois.

### WHITE HALL COUPLE GIVE OYSTER SUPPER AND HOLIDAY PARTY

White Hall—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Westerhold entertained at their country home southwest of White Hall at a Christmas eve party and oyster supper. Santa Claus and a Christmas tree were features of the entertainment.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell and son Donald, Miss Addie Seely, Miss Ireta Shive, Mrs. Mary Westerdahl and family of White Hall and vicinity, John and Carey Andras of Manchester, and Chestnut Painter of Westville, Okla. On Christmas day Mrs. Mary Westerhold entertained practically the same group at a goose dinner at her home, excepting the Campbell family and the Andras boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riddings entertained at Christmas dinner at their home in the High street neighborhood. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Tony Geers and baby of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Audus Turner of Eldred, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse T. Riddings and two sons of White Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strang and Mrs. Mary Ralston of Peoria came Tuesday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis and Miss Lizzie Strang. On Christmas day the whole party were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Riddings on West Bridgeport street. Roy Strang returned to Peoria Christmas but the women remained until Sunday in the Davis home.

### CONVICT SUICIDES

Chester, Ill., Dec. 28.—(P)—Albert Carlson, 33, Chicago, serving a one year to life sentence in Southern Illinois penitentiary for armed robbery, was found hanging to a ventilator in his cell today, a pillow slip knotted around his throat. A coroner's jury returned a suicide verdict.

The prisoner spent most of the last 25 years in prison. He was transported here from Joliet as a psychopathic case on December 18.

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## Today's Patterns

These are for every day Patterns



ONE of these frocks will be just the thing for the young lady of the house. No. 8654 has a short yoke with box pleat in front and back has Peter Pan collar with matching cuffs and a pocket inserted into the bodice. Make of printed or plain silk or cotton for dress, with plaid or plain velvet for bolero. Patterns are sized 4 to 10 years, size 6 requiring 2 1/8 yards of 35-inch fabric for dress and 3/8 yard for bolero, with 3/8 yard of contrasting. No. 8339, available in sizes 8 to 16 years, depends on clever cutting for the chic effect of the simple jumper. Size 14 requires 2 3/4 yards of 39-inch silk, cotton jersey or thin woolen for the jumper and 1 5/8 yards of 39-inch plain or plaid silk or cotton for bolero.

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## Peanuts on the Table

Are Rich in Minerals, Fats and Proteins

By MARY E. DAGUE  
NEA Service Staff Writer

Now come chemists of the United States Food Bureau with glowing reports of the peanut. Did you know, for instance, that peanuts yield 38.6 per cent of fat as compared to 20.4 per cent and eggs 11.4 per cent? Or that a pound of peanuts is 28.8 per cent protein, while a pound of porthouse steak is 21.9 per cent? Eggs supply 75 calories per pound, steak 1230 calories per pound, and peanuts, can you imagine it, 2490 calories? Peanuts are much richer in calcium and phosphorus than either steak or eggs, too. And peanut butter provides all the peanut assets but in a form easier to digest than the whole nuts.

Peanut butter toast is easy to make and is a good luncheon or supper dish for children. Spread hot dry toast with peanut butter. Cut in half inch squares and arrange on hot plates. Pour over medium white sauce, using 1 cup sauce for four slices of toast. Peanut butter and potato croquettes are a splendid addition to a rather sketchy dinner. Serve with tomato sauce and don't worry if there's more gravy than meat.

Peanut Butter and Potato Croquettes  
One-half cup peanut butter, 3 cups

mashed potatoes, few drops onion juice, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 1 egg yolk, 1 teaspoon minced parsley, milk.

### MONDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST—Stewed dried peaches, cereal, cream, scrambled eggs with bacon, toast, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Cream of peanut soup, croutons, apples cooked in cranberry juice, cup cakes, milk, tea.

DINNER—Broiled shoulder chops of lamb, peanut butter and potato croquettes with tomato sauce, orange and cress salad, steamed fig pudding, milk, coffee.

Use white of egg for crumbing. Mix ingredients in order given, using just enough milk to make moist. Shape into balls and roll in fine dry bread crumbs. Dip in white of egg slightly beaten with 2 tablespoons water. Roll again in crumbs and fry in deep hot fat. The fat should be hot enough to brown an inch cube of bread in forty seconds. Drain on crumpled brown paper and serve with tomato sauce.

## Father of Mrs. Fred Faugust Is Dead

Geo. E. Speers Passes Away in Kalamazoo, Mich.; Local Relatives to Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Faugust, 886

BULLETIN

ANNUAL LAMP SALE.

Monday and Tuesday. See them in our east window and on main floor.

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Lamps selling at \$6.00 or less, 20% DISCOUNT. Take advantage of this annual lamp sale and save up to 50% and more. — ANDRE & ANDRE.

East State street, will leave today to attend the funeral of her father, George E. Speers, who died at 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning at his home in Kalamazoo, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Faugust spent Christmas in Kalamazoo, and had been home only a short time when they received the news of her father's death.

Mr. Speers was for fifty years in business in Kalamazoo, and at the time of his death was president of the Kalamazoo Fuel & Ice Co. He is survived by four sons and two daughters: George, Ben, Sheldon, Jay and Catherine Speers, all of Kalamazoo, and Mrs. Fred Faugust of this city.

Funeral services will be held either Tuesday or Thursday of next week in the Michigan city.

Miss Marie Donovan, a daughter of Dr. Donovan is a teacher in the Lafayette school in this city, also a member of several organizations, where she has many friends.

## Society News

### Local Complex Enjoy Progressive Dinner

Ten couples of Jacksonville's younger social group enjoyed a progressive dinner here Saturday evening beginning with cocktails served at the home of Ada Laura and Charles DeWitt at 1224 West College avenue. The salad course was served at the home of Becky Pyatt at 919 West Douglas avenue and the main dinner course at the home of Rudy McMasters in the Self Apartments followed by the dessert course served in the home of Dicy Lee Begg at 1239 West State St.

The guests at the dinner were Frances Wall, Warren Breeding, Emma Lee Wall, Joe Bagale, Dicy Lee Begg, Fred May, Laura DeWitt, Stanley Davis, Eleanor Edwards, Cecil Cline, Barbara Rogers, Rudy McMasters, Becky Pyatt, Charles DeWitt, Mar Norbury, Harlan Eyre, Betty Jane Eyre, Charles Davis, Veta Mae Walker and Ted Rammelkamp.

### Beta Sigma Phi Chapter Entertained

Members of Omega Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi were entertained Friday night at the home of Mrs. Gladys Crawford. The guests came dressed as children and were entertained as children at school. Louise Peters acted as teacher.

After the entertainment refreshments were served and gifts were distributed from the Christmas tree. Members of the entertainment committee were Louise Peters, chairman, Virginia Whipple and Gladys Crawford.

### D.A.R. Advisory Board Will Hold Meeting

The Advisory Board of the Rev. James Caldwell Chapter D.A.R. will hold its regular meeting on Thursday morning at the Chapter House at 9:30 o'clock.

### Lutheran Church Aid Society Will Meet

The Ladies' Aid society of the Salem Lutheran church will meet Thursday at the church. A large attendance is expected.

### B. and P. Woman's Club Will Meet on Thursday Evening

The Jacksonville Business and Professional Woman's Club will meet Thursday evening. Supper will be served at 6:15 at the Peacock Inn. The program is being arranged by Miss Belle Eard, chairman of the finance committee. Group singing will also be a feature of the program. The supper committee will include Miss Marguerite Schoedsack, chairman; Mrs. Wilbur Rogers, Miss Hatfield Laureau.

### Announcement Engagement of Miss Ruth Hamilton

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Hamilton, Self Apartments, Friday evening announced the engagement and approaching marriage in April of their daughter Ruth, to Kenneth B. Hull of Roodhouse. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hull of that city, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Haigh of Hardin avenue, Jacksonville. The announcement was made at a bridge luncheon. Four tables were in play during the evening.

## Ask Parents of U. Of I. Students Aid

Want More Cooperation with Faculty; Praise Dads

Springfield, Ill.—(P)—Parents of students at the University of Illinois are being asked to show more cooperation with the faculty.

The request is made jointly by Dr. Willard, president of the university, and A. W. Shipton of Springfield, president of the University's Dad's Association, in the "Dad's Bill" to be mailed Monday to all parents and guardians of students.

Shipton declares in his article that while the faculty can meet the "many perplexing problems which have arisen in these days of new student temptations," parental support will aid in easier and quicker solutions. The Dad's Association is lauded by Dr. Willard as a "link and significant contact between the university's activities and the parents of its students."

### ALERT PHONE GIRL SAVES FOUR LIVES

Woman Lifts Receiver, Then Falls to Floor

Chicago—(P)—Police called by an alert telephone operator today saved Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair and their two sons when the family was overcome by fumes from the heating system in their bungalow.

Mrs. Adair, awakened by a feeling of nausea, attempted to telephone for help but fainted. Miss Grace Gallagher, 33, the operator, notified police she heard a woman say "I'm sick" and the sound of a body falling.

Police found the Adairs. Mr. and Mrs. Adair and Charles, 2 years old were soon revived but an inhalator squad worked 45 minutes before Calvin, 10, regained consciousness.

### FROZEN PIPES BURN

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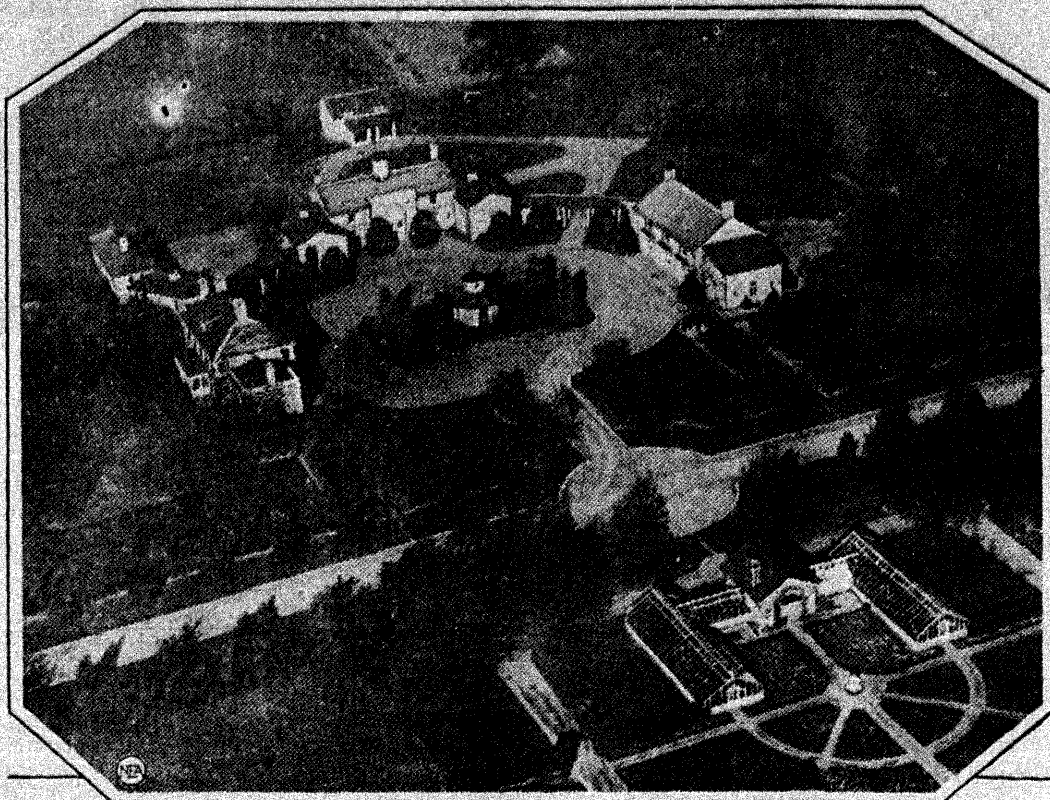
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## Car Hits Freight Train At Concord; One Youth Injured

**Russell Owens in Hospital Here After Accident Friday Evening**

Russell Owens of Concord sustained a broken arm and his two brothers, Raymond and Donald Owens, were badly shaken up, when their automobile struck a freight train Friday evening.

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## VIRGINIA TRAPPER CATCHES BIG EAGLE

Bird with Wing Spread of Seven Feet Snared

Virginia—Dave French, local trapper, residing north of the city, while running a trap line came upon a large gold-headed eagle, which had been caught in one of his traps.

The bird was a large one, having a wing spread of seven feet from tip to tip. The eagle was on display at the Wildlife station in this city. Eagles are seldom seen in these parts, as they inhabit more rocky regions.

French is well known as an expert fox trapper and has trapped twenty foxes the past two seasons, not including two that he has caught this winter. He claims that these foxes would have netted him twenty dollars a head during the World War.

## RECEIVE NEW BOOKS AT PUBLIC LIBRARY

The following books have been received at the public library:  
Air Conditioning—Edited by Harold Alt.

What Men Are Asking—By Henry S. Coffin.

How and Whys of Human Behavior—By George Dorsey.

Story of the Old Testament—By Edgar Goodspeed.

Arrangement of Flowers—By Mrs. Walter R. Hine.

Our Master's Voice—By James Rorty.

Liszt, Wagner, and the Princess—By William Wallace.

## WINCHESTER COUPLE MARK ANNIVERSARY

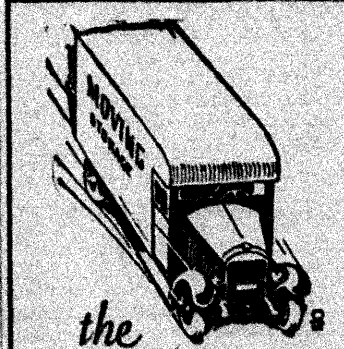
Winchester—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boester of 222 Pearl street, Winchester, Ill., celebrated their ninth wedding anniversary Thursday evening, Dec. 26, with a 6 o'clock turkey dinner.

Those present were Mrs. Fred Boester and sons Carl, George, and Elmer, Mr. and Mrs. James Cumbly, Miss Rosa Boester, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Evans and daughters Virginia and Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Boester, Jake Christensen, and Mr. and Mrs. William Boester.

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## OAK HILL

Joe Ozbun left Saturday for Carrollton and Kane, where he spent Christmas with relatives.

Harry Stringer and wife visited one day last week with his parents, Wm. Stringer and wife in Winchester.

William Walker was a Tuesday morning caller at the J. T. Osborne home.

Mrs. Lee Ward visited one day last week with her brother, Burley Slice in Winchester.

Ernest Harding and wife entertained at a Christmas dinner their two daughters, Misses Hazel and Edna Harding.

William Walker, wife and son, Clifford were Monday Jacksonville callers. Alfred Preston and family were Manchester callers recently.

The P.T.A. of Oak Hill met Friday evening, December 20. There was a nice program and Christmas tree. The Connolly brothers (Pete and James) played several selections on their guitar and violin with Miss Teresa Connolly and the teacher, Mrs. Erna Schwendemann at the piano. There was an exchange of gifts. The parents were presented with a nice vase which

was made by the school children. The pupils presented their teacher with a mayonaisse dish and spoon. Then Santa Claus put in his appearance and treated the children. Everybody partook of the refreshments of apples and candy.

William Dean and wife were Monday morning callers at the home of parents, J. T. Osborne, wife and daughter.

Miss Hazel Harding is spending the Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Ernest Harding, wife and son, Jack.

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"Special" Coffee		3	Lbs.	45c	Cookies		Several Varieties	Lb. 20c
White Rice	Comet Brand	1-Lb. Pkg.		10c	Pudding	Heinz Fig. Plum	15-Oz. Tin	29c
Bean Sprouts		No. 2 Tin		10c	Queen Olives		9½-Oz. Jar	29c
Chop Suey Sauce		3-Oz. Btl.		10c	Peanut Butter		15-Oz. Jar	15c
Chow Mein Noodles		No. 2 Tin		17c	Quaker Oats		1½-Lb. Pkg.	17c
Derby Tamales		2	11-Oz. Jars	25c	University Pears		No. 2½ Tin	19c



# "Slow Whistle" May Be Eliminated in Next Year's Football Code

## Southern Methodists Arrive In Pasadena, Cal., For Game With Stanford New Year's

By Paul Zimmerman  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 28.—(AP)—The circus came back to town today. It was Southern Methodist's unbeaten football troupe, primed with an array of fine and fancy football acrobatics for the edification of Stanford and 65,000 odd fans who will fill the Rose Bowl to overflowing here New Year's day.

Failing to live up to his reputation as a pessimist, Coach Matty Bell promised his gallant Mustangs would be in the best physical condition of the season.

"We don't rate to be the favorites," Bell told Coach Claude (Tut) Thomsen, head of the Western Representative, when they met at the train, "and neither do you. It's a good even ball game."

Bell took the Texans to Occidental College for a long secret workout which included dummy scrimmage against Stanford formations and an amazing array of offensive gestures.

The Indians as usual worked behind unlocked gates. They, too, concentrated on defensive and offensive finishing touches, including a great deal of pass throwing.

From casual observation in the two camps there was a faint indication that the opposing teams might abandon their usual roles. Southern Methodist, famous for its aerial cir-

cus of forwards and laterals, showed a leaning toward running plays. Stanford, primarily a hard driving power team, was throwing the ball around with Bobby Grayson and Bill Paulman on the chucking end. There was the possibility, of course, that these unusual tactics merely were moves designed to disguise their real intentions.

While the S. M. U. offensive plans were wrapped in the cloak of secrecy, there was no secret that Bobby Wilson, the great little halfback who ran wild against the University of California at Los Angeles Nov. 11, would be given free rein in an effort to match the work of Grayson as a ground gainer.

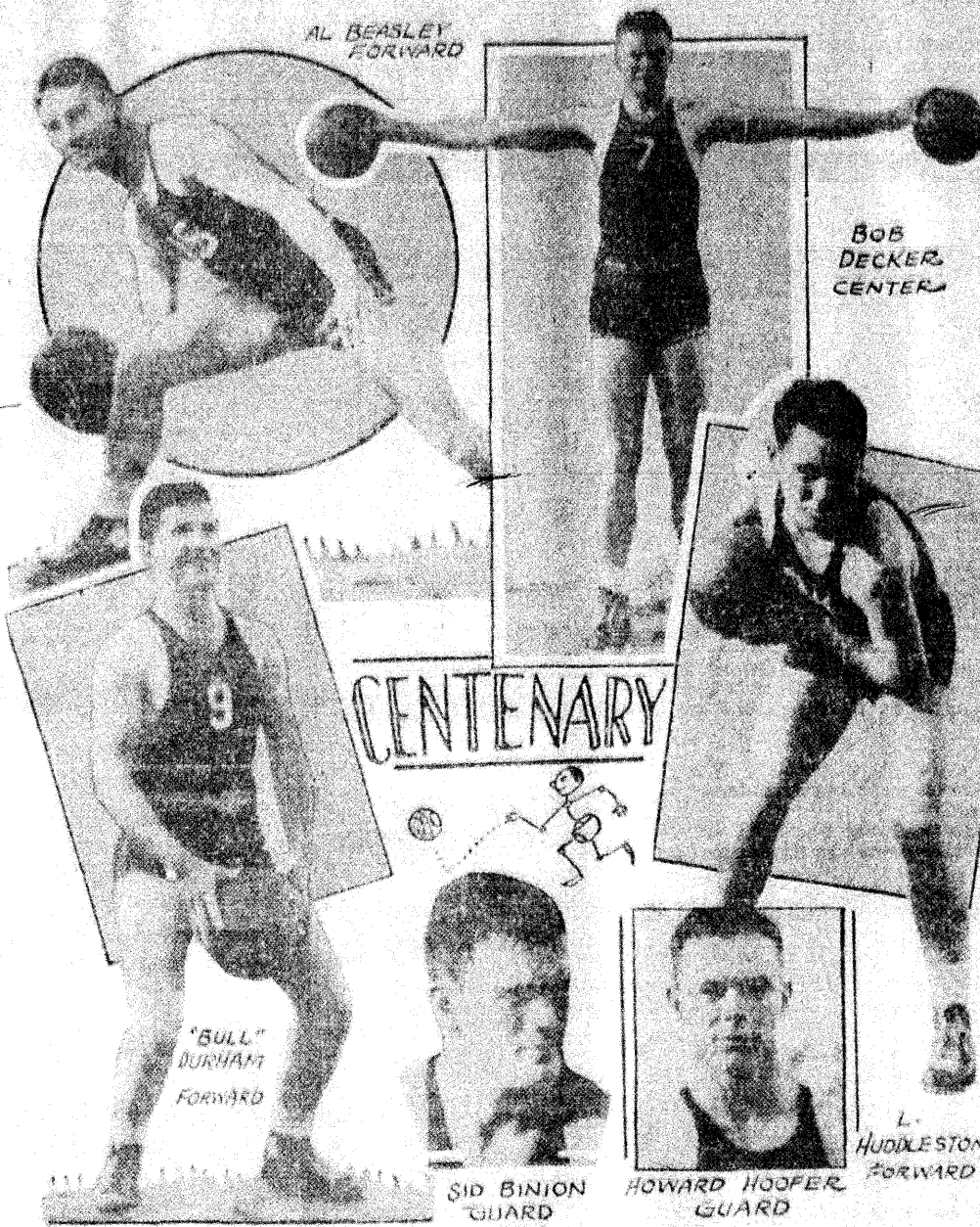
Doubt still shrouded the case of James (Monk) Moscrip, Stanford's end who is not completely recovered from a knee injury. His left leg strengthened with a brace, Moscrip again worked out lightly today.

## Illinois Defeats Knox 48 To 31

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Held to four points in the first twelve minutes, Illinois' sharpshooting basketball team opened up to defeat Knox College, 48 to 31, to night for its fifth straight victory this season. Smash appeared on the way to an upset triumph in the early going, running up an 8 to 2 at ten minutes, and holding an 8 to 4 margin after the first dozen minutes. At that point, however, the Illini, with Harry Combes and Bob Riegel whipping in for short shots, staged a rally that continued after substitutes took over the job.

Combes led Illinois with 12 points, with Jib Vopicka accounting for 11. Clemmer and Donaldson paced Seward, the former with eight points and Donaldson with seven.

## Gentlemen From Shreveport Here Wednesday



A husky bunch of Gentlemen from Centenary College, Louisiana, will be the athletic attraction in Jacksonville New Year's night when they invade the T.S.D. gymnasium for a game with the Illinois College Blueboys. The Gentlemen have one of the best records in the Southern A. A. having won 26 out of 27 games in conference play. They failed to win the championship last year, despite a record of seven straight wins, because they were eliminated from a tournament in the semi-final round.

Cecil Curtis Parker, former Arkansas U. all-star athlete, has four veterans available this year. The Gents will play at several Illinois, Indiana and Missouri schools before returning to Shreveport.

A. A. Hall of Winchester was among callers in the local business district yesterday afternoon.

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Ernest Savage

A former Taylorville high athlete, Jim Serra, will lead the Centenary Gentlemen against Illinois College Blueboys New Year's night when the team returns to the local hardwoods.

Serra is rated as one of the best athletes in Centenary history, having won his letter in both football and basketball. He is ambidextrous, in looping the ball for the hoop, and was selected last year as a forward on the All-Southern team.

Along with his athletic success, Serra has won the hearts of the Centenary student body. He is president of the Student Body, and an excellent student.

We must have been under a barrel somewhere, because we didn't know until the other day that Bill Wood, who had so much success as a basketball coach at Wakefield, Michigan, was now a fellow at the University of Iowa, where he is doing part-time teaching along with working on his master's degree.

Bill spent sometime here during the Christmas rush visiting with Jacksonville and Murrayville friends. He formerly played basketball at Illinois College.

Ted Raunelkamp, who quarterbacked on the J. H. S. football team last year, had a lot of fun when returning from Mt. Herman, where he is now in prep school. The bus on which Ted was riding was in two accidents, neither of them serious.

Ted, who has put on a lot of pounds since he played with the J. H. S. eleven, got into about half of the games at Mt. Herman.

Paul Stone, who reached at Waverly and Franklin before going to Maple Park in the northern part of the state where he is superintendent of schools, is going to dash right back home after refereeing the Waverly-Franklin game. He wants to see part of the DeKalb invitational holiday tournament, in which 22 teams are entered.

Two Illinois and two Iowa college teams came through the first round of the Augustana invitational college tournament Friday, and in the consolation round for teams eliminated

in the first round of play, Monmouth and Bradley won rather easily.

Springfield high got a set-back at Vincennes the other night, 29 to 22, playing before 6,000 people. Coach Peterman is going to show Springfield what gates his boys will draw away from home, in an effort to get that new gymnasium.

## 8 Big Ten Teams Appear Stronger

Three Co-champions Appear to Be Just as Strong as Last Year

Chicago.—(AP)—If experienced players in quantity means anything, the Big Ten is due for another red hot basketball championship battle.

The three teams which split the 1935 title, Purdue, Wisconsin, and Illinois, appear to be just as strong as last year. Indiana, Michigan, Chicago, Northwestern, and Ohio State look stronger.

Only Iowa and Minnesota seem weaker, and the Gophers may spring a surprise. Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana, Ohio State, Minnesota, and Michigan will head into the championship campaign next week with six lettermen available. Purdue, Chicago, and Northwestern have five each. Iowa has only three, and of them, John Barko, a high-scoring forward, will be lost by mid-year graduation.

The individual scoring tussle should be just as sensational, as the team battle. Both Will Haarlow of Chicago, last year's high man with 156 points, and Bob Kessler of Purdue, who finished second with 146, will be back in action, along with Warren Whitlinger of Ohio State, who had 125 for third.

## LOUISIANA STATE IS READY FOR CHRISTIAN

Baton Rouge, La.—(AP)—Louisiana State University is ready, on land and in the air, to meet any offensive Texas Christian University's horned frogs launch in the Sugar Bowl football battle at New Orleans on New Year's day.

Coach Bernie Moore's work of preparing his gridmen for the acid test of their careers is over, for all practical purposes.

It's a question whether the Bayou Tigers will regain the peak form they displayed in the last games of the regular season. If they do, Moore, while making no prediction of victory, has said it "will be some game."

Robert Basham of the Alexander community was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday afternoon.

## Football Deaths Show Increase

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Better playing conditions and a closer supervision of the sport were urged today by Prof. Floyd R. Eastwood of New York University, after reporting to the American Football Coaches Association that the gridiron sport was directly responsible for 30 deaths in 1935.

The survey, completing a five-year study of the problem, showed that 13 of the deaths occurred in high schools. Seven players were fatally injured in athletic club games, five in sand lot competition, and three in college play.

Except for the colleges, there was an increase in every division over 1934 when Prof. Eastwood found 25 fatalities attributed directly to football. Last year there were only 13 in the high school and four each in sand lot, college and athletic club competition.

High schools showing a slow but steady increase, also topped the five-year list with 65 of the 147 deaths. Twenty came from the colleges, 24 from the athletic clubs, and 38 from the sand lots.

Eastwood reported 18 other deaths which were originally charged to football during 1935 but which, he said, investigation revealed were not due directly to the game. Over the five-year period 68 such deaths have been reported. Fatalities due to infection following an injury or note associated with football as a game make up this category.

As a solution, Prof. Eastwood suggested better playing surfaces for both practice games and intercollegiate competition, pre-season medical examination of all candidates, adequate time for conditioning players before the first game, properly equipped players, elimination of "live ball" for tackling practice, and vigorous warming-up periods. He would also open up the game, as far as line play is concerned, and give greater protection to the forward passer and punter in high school and the kicker in college.

Prof. Eastwood found that the majority of the fatalities occurred either in the first or fourth quarters, in order named, and that most of them happened to halfbacks, tackles and ends. Sixty-three per cent of the fatalities for the five-year period occurred while the individual was tackling. Thirteen per cent while blocking, 12 per cent when tackled, eight per cent when kicked or kned, four per cent when under a pile-up and one per cent when carrying the ball through the line.

## 1935 Franklin Five Beats H. S. Quintet

Franklin, Dec. 28.—Franklin high's last year's basketball team romped over this year's quintet with a hot scoring finish here tonight 54 to 37, the two teams finishing a large part of the third quarter and final quarter with four and three men each on the court. In a certain raise the Franklin Indians won a 40 to 30 victory over the Swift's team from Jacksonville.

Douglas, center, led the 1935 class scoring with 24 points, piling in a large portion of them during the last half. The high school quintet stayed upon even terms with the graduates until the middle of the third period when the 1935 team pulled away and kept piling up points.

The box score:  
Franklin 1935 154 FG FT PF TP  
Riggs, f. . . . . 5 3 1 13  
Clayton, f. . . . . 1 0 0 2  
Van Winkle, f. . . . . 2 2 1 8  
Douglas, c. . . . . 8 3 2 24  
Viar, g. . . . . 4 1 4 9  
Lovell, g. . . . . 0 4 0 4  
Totals . . . . . 15 34 14 54  
Franklin H. S. 27 FG FT PF TP  
Bryant, f. . . . . 5 2 4 12  
Miles, f. . . . . 1 0 2 2  
Tennahill, f. . . . . 2 3 4 9  
Brink, g. . . . . 0 0 0 0  
Oxley, c. . . . . 1 0 3 3  
Tranbarger, g. . . . . 1 0 3 2  
Totals . . . . . 11 5 17 27  
Referee—Savage, Jacksonville.

Discovery Favorite  
St. Louis, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Tom Kearney, St. Louis betting commissioner, today posted his future book odds on the Santa Anita handicap to be run Feb. 22, installing Discovery as the favorite at 2 to 1.

Azucar, last year's winner of the richest race in American turfdom, was quoted at 15 to 1, trailing Top Row, 4 to 1, Cavalade, 6 to 1, Ladyman, 10 to 1, and Head Play, 12 to 1.

Listed with Azucar at 15 to 1 were Psychic Bid, Time Supply and Only One. Kearney offered 20 to 1 on Ariel Cross, Flamenco, Rosemont and Stand

## Basketball Results

High School  
Bloomington Tournament:  
Prairie Central 36, Bloomington 28 (semi-final).  
Carrier Mills 34, Litchfield 27 (consolation semi-final).  
Coal City 31, Mattoon 27 (consolation semi-final).  
Coal City 36, Carrier Mills 17 (consolation final).  
University of Chicago Tournament:  
Parragut 26, Marshall 12.  
Austin 27, Englewood 24.  
Lake View 27, Hirsch 21.  
Crane 39, Calumet 19.  
Foreman 33, Lindholm 28.  
Thelen 20, Hyde Park 18.  
Pontiac Tournament:  
First round:  
Geneva 30, Princeton 15.  
St. Charles 33, Halcin (Rockford) 31 (overtime).  
Leland 35, South Beloit 17.  
Batavia 22, Riverside 20.  
College Basketball Finals:  
Augustana Tournament:  
Cornell 32, North Central 26 (semi-final).  
Coe (Cedar Rapids, Ia.) 24, Augustana (Rock Island) 45 (semi-final).  
California 19, Northwestern 24.  
West Virginia 74, Western Reserve 41.  
De Paul 30, Drake 28.  
University of Cincinnati 26, Butler University 39.  
Marquette 34, Minnesota 31.  
Harvard 24, Wittenberg 35.  
Illinois 48, Knox 31.

## General Disregard for Rule in Effort to Halt Injuries May Cause Its Removal in

New York.—(AP)—Elimination of the disputed "slow whistle" ruling of 1933 is the only change in the gridiron code planned by the National Football Rules Committee, its annual report to the National Collegiate Athletic Association disclosed today.

The report, presented by Chairman Walter Oakes of Lehigh, pointed out the members felt a year ago that no major changes were required and that nothing has arisen to make action necessary when the committee meets at Palm Springs, Calif., Feb. 14 to 16.

The so-called whistle ruling, contained in a supplementary rule to Rule 7, Section 7—the section that defines a dead ball—has never been the purpose of making coaches "lateral conscious" Oakes said.

He declared that since there is a fairly pronounced sentiment against it, the rules would be better without it. There is no evidence, he added, to support the contention that this rule is responsible for increased injuries.

The note, as carried in this year's rules, says: "A runner who is on his

feet even though he be held by an opponent may run, pass or kick the whistle is blown."

When it was put into the code it was indicated that its purpose was to make lateral passing possible by a player who is tackled in an open field and that the referee should blow his whistle until the p of the ball was clearly halted.

In many cases officials "piling up" on the runner and quick injuries, disregarded at first.

Other changes that have been suggested come largely from the coaches and are not vital to the code, the report said.

Besides giving the officials a pat on the back, mentioning and praising Oakes' report out the necessity for a committee of college and high school coaches to write its own rules, the report said.

## Shaughnessy Pleads Cy Blanton Rate For Saner Attitude As National T

New York.—(AP)—A pointed suggestion that colleges and their alumni adopt a saner attitude toward football and its teachers was voiced today by Clark D. Shaughnessy, head coach at the University of Chicago.

"Football coaches," he said in an address prepared for delivery at the annual convention of the American Football Coaches Association, "should not be held accountable for football players falling as football players, any more than any of the other members of the teaching staff should be held responsible for their students failing their subjects."

"All that these faculties are responsible for is the efficient teaching of their subjects and if the students fail it is not the teacher who pays with the loss of the job but the students who is dropped from the rolls."

Shaughnessy pointed out that "winning football coaches never lose their jobs" but denied that it is the coach who is largely responsible for football success.

"As far as I know," he said, "there are only four factors involved in the development of winning football teams. The first and most important is the matter of material; the second is the matter of facilities and time for practice; the third is the selection of easy opponents, and the fourth and least important is the matter of coaching."

It is my opinion that football coaches should not be in any way responsible for getting material. There isn't a college in the country that expects its faculty to round up students to teach. . . . We should not be expected to organize alumni or other groups and go into the highways and byways looking for material. . . ."

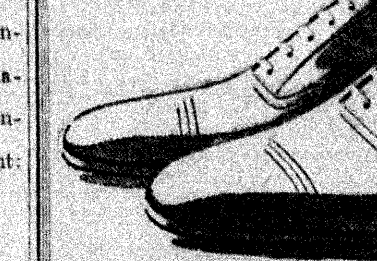
Blanton, who had played 11 seasons of major league baseball, 1935, surpassed the feats of a few past stars. He hit .300, drove in 100 runs, and scored 100 runs. He was named the National League MVP.

Blanton also registered for cuts, tying for first place. And up a total of 142 strikeouts, co-winner with Dizzy Dean's league total of 182. The Pirates rewarded the largest number of hits, 24.

Lee led the fingers on a and lost bases with 20 victories. While Blanton was among the regulars with 1 won and 13 lost.

Dick Dean of the St. Louis Cardinals took streaked his fourth straight year, registering 23 complete games pitched, won 25 and faced 1365 batters, who hit off his delivery.

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High School  
Bloomington Tournament:  
Prairie Central 36, Bloomington 28 (semi-final).  
Carrier Mills 34, Litchfield 27 (consolation semi-final).  
Coal City 31, Mattoon 27 (consolation semi-final).  
Coal City 36, Carrier Mills 17 (consolation final).  
University of Chicago Tournament:  
Parragut 26, Marshall 12.  
Austin 27, Englewood 24.  
Lake View 27, Hirsch 21.  
Crane 39, Calumet 19.  
Foreman 33, Lindholm 28.  
Thelen 20, Hyde Park 18.  
Pontiac Tournament:  
First round:  
Geneva 30, Princeton 15.  
St. Charles 33, Halcin (Rockford) 31 (overtime).  
Leland 35, South Beloit 17.  
Batavia 22, Riverside 20.  
College Basketball Finals:  
Augustana Tournament:  
Cornell 32, North Central 26 (semi-final).  
Coe (Cedar Rapids, Ia.) 24, Augustana (Rock Island) 45 (semi-final).  
California 19, Northwestern 24.  
West Virginia 74, Western Reserve 41.  
De Paul 30, Drake 28.  
University of Cincinnati 26, Butler University 39.  
Marquette 34, Minnesota 31.  
Harvard 24, Wittenberg 35.  
Illinois 48, Knox 31.

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## Coultas Reports State's Fire Loss for 1935 Was Smallest Ever Recorded

State Fire Marshal Sherman V. Coultas of this city issued this week his report for 1935, showing Illinois' fire loss to be the lowest in the 18 years since the office of fire marshal was established. The loss by fire during 1935 was \$8,549,708, a reduction of more than 56 per cent from that of the preceding year.

The fire marshal's report tabulates all figures pertaining to fires in Illinois; the value of property, amount of insurance carried, etc. Chapters are devoted to fire prevention activities and an educational program which it is believed has helped to reduce the fire loss.

### No Major Fires

Numerous reasons have been advanced for the unprecedented drop in the fire loss this year. Mr. Coultas said in his report. "For one thing, there were no large conflagrations. While in the preceding year both the Chicago Stockyards and State Arsenal were occurred."

Another noteworthy fact was the steady decline in incendiary losses to

a point where they were only a nominal feature of the year's record. Losses of this character swept the State during the early years of depression. To meet the situation the Division has maintained a continuous drive on arson, culminating this year in 70 convictions and the complete smashing of a formidable arson ring. No doubt this has had a wholesome effect in curbing burnings of this class.

Business conditions have been on the upgrade and this unquestionably contributed to the favorable showing. The fact that there has been a sharp trend to lower fire loss records throughout the country would indicate that there are underlying causes in a general toning up of the economic situation.

### Arson Is Curbed

"Fire losses always go up during hard times. Many business men, unable to weather the storm, burn out in order to salvage what they can from fire insurance. Many home owners and farmers do likewise. Fires also multiply from natural causes because property owners are financially unable to keep up repairs and gradually lose their interest and pride in upkeep. Federal emergency measures have done much to relieve the mortgage situation, increase farm income and stimulate employment and, while doing these things, the government has provided direct relief to those in dire distress. Repair has given way to hope and confidence in the up-building process. Employment has improved and business is better. Again the desire has returned to the individual to protect and conserve his possessions. I believe the tremendous decrease in fire losses is evidence of substantial progress in economic recovery."

"Certain factors in the general liquidation brought about by the depression would tend to cause some reduction in fire losses. Inflated values necessarily were wiped out. This would be reflected in lower values of property destroyed by fire. No doubt most of those who look the fire route did so during the earlier days of the depression. Careful insurance underwriting and adjustment of losses doubtless have curbed losses also. There is one other factor. A great many persons have been obliged to reduce their insurance protection drastically or cancel it altogether. This required them to exercise diligent care in conserving their property from fire. Carefulness is the first rule of fire prevention."

"All of the conditions sketched briefly above, as well as others, no doubt contributed in their way toward producing the new 'low' in fire losses recorded in this State. We are encouraged to intensify our efforts in all branches of fire prevention to make this the starting point for permanently lower loss levels. If this can be brought about, an important achievement in conservation will be attained and our people will no doubt be rewarded by a corresponding reduction in insurance rates."

"The record of 70 convictions is one of the most substantial in the history of the State Fire Marshal's office. The arson ring which was smashed was one of the most formidable and menacing ever encountered. To date 136 indictments have been returned, involving 68 individuals, and 29 have been convicted."

Ed Newman of Murrayville was among callers from that community in the city yesterday.

## Filmland Thrills Navy Beauty



Judging from this charming smile, Hollywood must have been gobs of fun for Master Marie Lanning, lovely daughter of Admiral Harris Lanning, commander of the U. S. battle fleet. While in Filmland, this beautiful visitor saw that everything was ship-shape and "sea-worthy" about a new picture in which her dad's fleet played a major role. That she's navy-minded, incidentally, is attested by the nautical lines of her rakish hat.

## Services Held for Greenfield Woman

Rites for Mrs. Frank Smith Conducted Thursday at Family Residence

Greenfield — Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian Scott Smith, wife of Frank C. Smith, prominent banker and merchant were held at the residence here at 2 p. m., Thursday. Mrs. Smith died at a Jacksonville hospital Tuesday night after a several weeks' illness. Pneumonia was the immediate cause of her death.

Rev. J. P. Long officiated at the service, assisted by Mrs. J. R. Sticker and Frank Henderson, vocalists. Pallbearers were Leon Middleton, Charles Menz, Dr. G. O. Bulger, Claude Secor and James Perkins.

Decedent is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Forrest Smith of Houston, Texas, and Mrs. F. W. Seekamp of Greenfield.

### FREEZES AFTER FALL

Stanton, Ill. — A coroner's jury found that Walter H. Slesinger, 41, who was found dead on the street Thursday, "died" after he had been thrown in a fall on the sidewalk. The jury held the fall accidental.

J. H. Thompson of near the Arenaville community was a business visitor in the city yesterday afternoon.

## One Freight Hoboes Won't Hop



They're still doing big things in their accustomed big way at Boulder Dam—lowering a loaded steel box car 300 feet into Black Canyon to the runway of the Nevada powerhouse in this unusual picture. Note that a workman has accompanied the car's dizzy descent. The 130-ton cableway is a part of the permanent transportation system to the powerhouses at the foot of the dam, the crest of which may be glimpsed upper right.

## Funeral of Former Concord Mayor is This Afternoon

Ora T. Hamm Was Second Man Who Served as Mayor of Village in County

Funeral services for Ora T. Hamm, former prominent Concord citizen who served as the town's second mayor, will be held at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon at the residence in Beardstown and at 2 o'clock at the Concord Christian church. Interment will be made in Concord cemetery, of which the decedent was one of the incorporators.

The family residence is at 816 State street, Beardstown. Although a sufferer of frequent attacks of asthma, Mr. Hamm's death was sudden. He spent a happy Christmas day with his family at home, and complained of no illness until Thursday, his death occurring that night.

Born in Kentucky

The decedent was born September 23, 1872, in Carlisle, Ky., where he grew to manhood and where he became a member of the Christian church. In 1897 he came to Illinois and located on a farm at Concord.

After a year of farming alone he was united in marriage to Miss Alice Green of Arenaville, a school teacher in that section, December 27, 1899. They continued to farm until 1924. Then Mr. Hamm operated the Concord elevator for two years, after which he became a salesman for the Murphy Products Company of Burlington, Wis. In 1927 he was made division sales manager in Illinois and Missouri.

On February 13, 1935, the family moved to Beardstown because it is centrally situated in the territory which Mr. Hamm supervised.

Second Concord Mayor

Mr. Hamm was the second mayor of the village of Concord. In his capacity as mayor he became widely known throughout Morgan and Cass counties. He was a member of the Concord school board and a member of the committee which worked for the incorporation of the Concord cemetery.

He is survived by his wife and three children: Harold Hamm of East St. Louis, Mrs. John Anderson of Chapin, and Mrs. Dale Beard of Arenaville. One sister, Mrs. Charles Talbot of Carlisle, Ky., four grandchildren and other relatives also survive.

Chameleons are noted for their ability to change their colors to match those of their surroundings, but they are as apt to change to colors of contrast as to ones that match.

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## Perry Takes Title At Milton Tourney

Snatch One Point Decision From Nebo In Thrilling Wind-Up

Milton, Dec. 28.—Perry high, under the direction of "Frosty" England, former Illinois College student, snatched a one point decision here tonight in the wind-up of the East Pike tournament to win the title 40-39 over Nebo. Pleasant Hill defeated Milton for the consolation championship 27 to 19.

Both Perry and Nebo were surprise entries in the final. Perry eliminated Griggsville in one semi-final battle, and Nebo winning from Pearl, one of the outstanding three year high school teams of the district. The tournament was held in connection with the dedication of a new gymnasium here, made possible through a PWA loan and grant.

Art Wilson of Murrayville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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GETS A DIVORCE  
Chicago.—Mrs. Elizabeth Magist, seeking a divorce, told Judge Joseph Sabath her husband Frank flirted with women customers in his bakery, but that wasn't all. She charged he also gave them free pies and cakes. Baptist is 70.

A total of 217,998 people visited Yellowstone National Park during the season of 1935, an increase of 57,221, or 21.9 per cent over the figure for 1934.

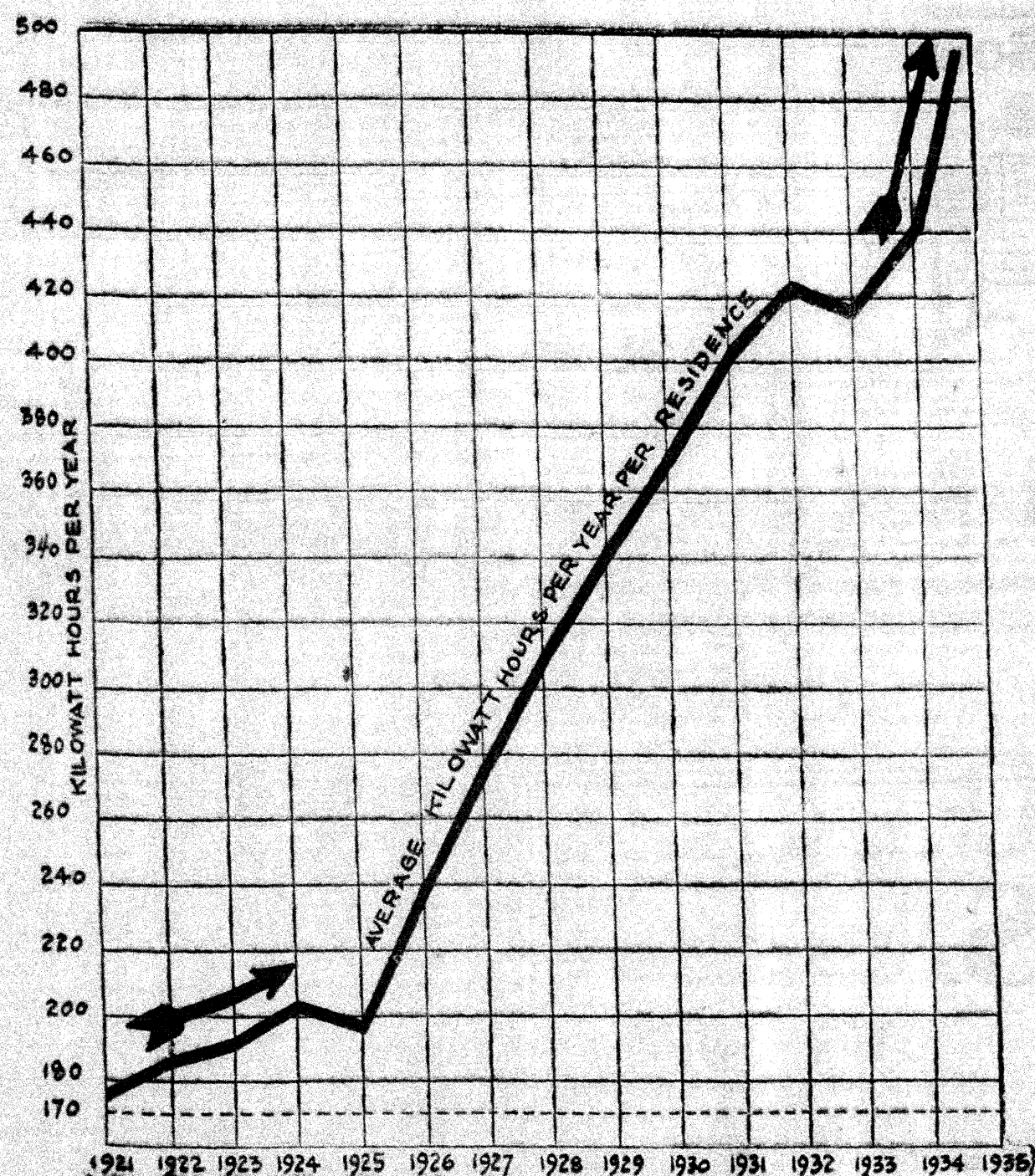
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- All of these many uses have increased the demand for electric service, which, together with improved efficiency have made possible the reduction of more than 55% in the average rate per kw-hr of the electricity used in the homes of Jacksonville. The more electricity the company sells the cheaper it can sell it.

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## 'CANNED BLOOD' NAMED WEIRDEST 1935 DISCOVERY

### Russian Doctors And Chemists Develop Method

By John Lear  
Associated Press Staff Writer  
Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—The weirdest discovery of the year—"canned" blood—was listed by a professional authority today as medicine's foremost accomplishment of 1935.

A process of taking blood from the bodies of the dead and preserving it to save other lives through transfusions was named first in a "yearbook of fame" compiled for The Associated Press by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

Russian doctors and chemists developed first rank for developing the "canning" method and using it successfully in more than 1,000 cases, the editor said.

Near the top of his list Dr. Fishbein placed:  
Operations on the sympathetic nervous system for relief of pain, lowering of blood pressure, and control of heart action.

Discoveries about glands. First among these was determination of how the thyroid and pituitary glands control growth. The active principles of the sex glands were also revealed.

Developments of vitamins in pure form. These included vitamin C, vitamin B, and carotene from which vitamin A is obtained.

Discovery of ergotamine, the active principle of ergot, a drug used in childbirth. This find, like other discoveries of active principles, permits smaller doses and more efficient treatment of patients.

Use of snake venom to halt hemorrhage.

### Woodson

Woodson, Dec. 28.—(AP)—R. V. Megginson is the recipient of a nice box of fruit which he is very proud of sent by his son, Paul Megginson and wife, who are visiting Mrs. Megginson's mother, Elvie Bawn, at Sacramento, Calif.

Guy Hicks received word recently of the serious illness of his uncle, Jim H. Mansfield, of Bakersfield, Calif. Mr. Mansfield is assistant superintendent of the Kern Co. Standard Oil Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Babb and daughter were guests Monday night and Tuesday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hittner, at Pittsfield.

Mrs. Lena Carter of Chicago spent Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Adams, and other relatives. She also visited friends in Jacksonville.

Miss Sarah Emeline Gocher of Jacksonville, who has spent the past several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Sadie Gallagher, returned to her home today.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Coultas and daughter Miss Juanita Coultas Lynnville were Saturday visitors in that city.

### Manchester

Mrs. H. A. Langdon left Saturday by bus for New York City, for an extended visit with her sister and friends, Mrs. Langdon, Mrs. Raymond Whitlock and Mrs. Leah Gregory accompanied her to Jacksonville. There she will take the bus for the east.

Mrs. Winona Langdon Friday from White Hall where she was a Christmas guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. N. Collins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown and family returned from Kankakee Friday where they were Christmas guests of her sister.

Miss Mildred Greenwalt of Decatur arrived home Thursday for a visit with her mother Mrs. Agnes Greenwalt.

Miss Allice Johnson went to Chaplin Friday evening to spend the weekend with Miss Nellie Smith.

Mrs. E. F. Cuddy spent Friday with her daughter Mrs. Christopher Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Funk and son and Mrs. B. R. Greenwalt, were guests the latter's parents to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Windsor at Alton. They were accompanied home by Junior Windsor for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Hays spent Thursday afternoon with her aunt, Mrs. Florence Tendick at Jacksonville.

## LEADERS FIND DIFFERENCES IN OWN RANKS

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against the New Deal, his immediate objective has more to do with overthrow of the old guard in his own party.

In another way, too, he evidenced determination to lead through on his plans at whatever cost to attempts to join the eastern and western wings of the party. A conference between him and Col. Frank Knox of Illinois prompted reports that the desirability of party unity was discussed, leading Borah to imply it was up to others to come to his point of view. He gave no assurance that he would move to keep out the primaries in Illinois, where Knox is a "favorite son" for the nomination.

### BUS RUNNING SLOWLY

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28.—(AP)—The Greyhound bus which carried 14 persons to death in the Appomattox river Sunday was "running slowly" and marked indicated that the brakes were applied before the machine crashed through an open draw, investigators of the state highway commission and the division of motor vehicles reported today.

The report of the investigators said they were unable to arrive at a cause of the accident.

### REACH AGREEMENT

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 28.—(AP)—An agreement between Indiana and Illinois to waive truck weight taxes was announced today.

The Illinois legislature imposed such a tax several months ago, but provided that reciprocal agreements might be made to waive it. The states also will eliminate the fees charged for renewing permits for truck operation.

## INSPIRED BY NEED OF CASH AND PUBLICITY

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loring Milne's return, was to take his name off the list.

The slip in young Milne's plot lay in the manner in which he was trusted. The federal agents spent several hours having the men who found Milne and who cut away his bonds, show in what way Milne was bound. Their demonstrations convinced the agents that Milne could easily have slipped from his bonds—a most suspicious circumstance.

They questioned him repeatedly, but his story was well organized. Only after being required to repeat it many times did it develop flaws, the agents said. Finally, in the early hours of this morning, the youth confessed.

While government officials went ahead with plans to prosecute Milne, some of them wondered how successful such prosecution might be. They recalled that an Indiana youth who kidnapped himself early this year was discharged when Federal Judge Robert C. Baldwin at Indianapolis dismissed the indictment.

In the Indiana case Allen C. Bomberger admitted faking his own kidnapping and sending letters to his father demanding \$50,000 ransom. Judge Baldwin ruled that the wording of the federal statute under which Bomberger was indicted was such as to exclude a "self-kidnaping" from its provisions.

Milne's confession told of his "kidnaping" in detail.

"I admit that my alleged kidnapping was perpetrated by myself," it began. "Because of my desperate financial condition and inability to find a job, I felt x x that I could get some publicity I could get a job."

He bought cotton gloves and other articles which he believed were needed to make the "kidnaping" look authentic. He prepared the ransom letters in his apartment and stamped them for mailing later.

He left his apartment Saturday, December 14, leaving word that he had been called to Philadelphia by news that his grandfather, Caleb Milne, Jr., a wealthy retired textile manufacturer, was ill.

He went to Trenton, N. J., and remained under an assumed name at a hotel there until the following Wednesday, when he went by bus to New Hope, Pa., and started walking on the road to Philadelphia.

"When I reached a few miles from Doylestown," he said in his confession to the G-men, "I threw away by black overcoat, my brown hat, a pair of gray gloves and a pair of scissors, and resumed walking a few miles."

"I then stopped, taped my eyes and mouth with tape that I had purchased previously, and then tied my knuckles, knees and hands with slipknots. I rolled down a hill until I felt the roadway underneath me."

"Within ten minutes on the roadway a car stopped and picked me up." The young man's grandfather, commenting briefly on the sudden turn of the case, said at Philadelphia today.

"I am sorry to have to admit that the hoax is a fact." Asked if he would prosecute, the grandfather said: "Goodness, no. He has suffered enough."

It was his grandfather that Milne directed demands for \$20,000 ransom. The story young Milne told after his "rescue" was that he had been kidnapped by four men, one of whom posed as a doctor who was taking him to Philadelphia. They took him to a cabin near Doylestown, he said, and kept him in a stupor with narcotics.

Director Hoover in charge of the federal investigation, commented: "It was all a deliberate attempt to mislead his family and gain publicity. He never had any drugs. He was not mistreated. He did it all himself."

### ALSEY S. S. CLASS HAS PARTY FRIDAY; OTHER ALSEY NEWS

Alsey, Dec. 28.—Miss Gladys Savage and Miss Wilma Priest entertained the members of their Sunday school class with a party at the Ladies Aid building Friday evening. Games were played after which refreshments were served.

News Notes  
Mr. and Mrs. Cort McLaughlin entertained at dinner Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McDermith and son of Rosamond, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hoots. Mr. McDermith was formerly superintendent of the Alsey school system and is now superintendent of the Rosamond community high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Ganges of Jacksonville visited the past few days with their parents at Alsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Christopher, Ill., are visiting this week with relatives at Alsey and Glasgow.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Bowman received a bushel basket of grapefruit and oranges for Christmas from their son George Bowman of Brownsville, Texas.

PAUL WETHERELL WEDS  
M. JEANETTE GROGAN

Word has been received here of the Christmas day marriage in Denver, Colorado, of Miss Mary Jeanette Grogan, Jacksonville, and Paul S. Wetherell of Denver. Mrs. Wetherell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grogan, 618 S. Church street.

The ceremony was performed in the Central Presbyterian church and officiated by the Reverend Dr. Martin E. Anderson in the presence of relatives and friends.

Miss Grogan wore a brown crepe dress with matching accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Wetherell will reside at 1650 Pearl, Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Killam of Markham were callers in the city yesterday afternoon.

## Paulette Pals With Chaplin Lads



Just like one of the family, as persistent rumor says she will be, is Paulette Goddard, posing here with the two sons of Charlie Chaplin at Palm Springs, film colony California playground. Charlie Chaplin, Jr., is at the left, and Sydney Chaplin, right. Hollywood gossip long has been that Miss Goddard, who has appeared as Chaplin's leading lady, will march to the altar with the comedian.

## Ashland To Vote On Gravel Bond Issue

### Special Election Will Be Monday, January 6; Other News Notes

Ashland, Dec. 28.—Notices have been posted to the effect that a petition has been filed with more than the necessary one hundred signers for a special election to be held for the purpose of voting on a bond issue, the sum to be used for graveling eighteen miles of country roads in Ashland township and six miles of streets in Ashland. It is understood that Federal Aid will be available for spreading the gravel if the township will provide it. A special election for voting on the above mentioned bond issue will be held Monday, Jan. 6, 1936.

News Notes  
William Pettit, aged 31, and totally blind, is convalescing satisfactorily at his home in Ashland after a fall last week at which time he suffered a bruised rib. Mr. Pettit climbed to the loft of his barn to throw down hay to his cows when he fell over some object in his path.

Paul E. Scheve, a lieutenant in the regular army, stationed at San Antonio, Texas, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Scheve. Another son, Maurice, a student at University of Illinois, is also spending his Christmas vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and daughter Miss Lorena, Charles Bailey and daughters, Misses Eula and Glenna were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wyatt in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blank and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Blank all of Springfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Minor Smart of Decatur spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blank, Sr.

Frank Stevens and Carl Christen who have been combining several hundred acres of soy beans near Joliet are spending a few days with their families.

Mrs. Sam Danenberger Jr., and daughter Sally Joan are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mau.

Stuart Jenkins and Glen Latham who are stationed at Scott Field, Belleville, Ill., spent Christmas with home folk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burns and daughters, Mary LaVonne and Joan of Virginia were Christmas guests at the William Frazer home.

Mrs. Henry Awall and sons of Chicago are visiting friends in Ashland.

Misses Mary and Ruth Adkins who attend the University of Illinois are holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adkins.

Mrs. P. R. Hinds is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins in Peoria.

Mrs. Grace Garner, Mrs. Helen Wilburn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGaugh and daughter, Miss Mary Virginia of Springfield were dinner guests on Christmas eve of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Douglas.

Considerable alarm was caused Friday morning when clouds of smoke were seen pouring from the jewelry store of W. E. Williams. The furnace pipe in the basement was blown off when the furnace puffed out, but the only damage was the soiling of stock.

Most of which however, was protected in glass cases.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lee Terhune entertained at pot luck supper and bridge at their home Friday night. High score favors were awarded to Mrs. Carl Sinclair and Henry Reiser. Other guests were Mrs. Reiser, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wyatt and daughter, Miss Lola.

Mrs. George Burmaster of near Strawn's Crossing was shopping in Jacksonville yesterday.

## Personal News Notes

Ralph Herr of Alexander was a business visitor in the city yesterday afternoon.

Herbert Smike of the Franklin community was among callers in the city yesterday.

Visitors in Jacksonville yesterday afternoon from Murrayville included Ed Killbrow.

Bill Casey of near Woodson was a business visitor in the city yesterday afternoon.

Fred Pinkerton of Reese station was transacting business in the city yesterday.

C. L. Hembrough of the Ashbury neighborhood was a Saturday caller in Jacksonville.

George Frost of Winchester was a business visitor yesterday afternoon in the city.

Franklin callers in Jacksonville yesterday afternoon included George Seymour.

A Beck of the Alexander community was transacting business in the city yesterday.

John Ober of near Woodson was among Saturday afternoon visitors in Jacksonville.

Francis Langdon of near Murrayville was a caller in the city yesterday afternoon.

Raymond Sheppard of the Murrayville community was a Saturday caller in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Lennie Bingham of Virginia was shopping in the city yesterday afternoon.

Walter Patterson of the Orleans neighborhood was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

C. J. Lonergan of Woodson was among visitors in Jacksonville yesterday afternoon.

Charles Jackson of the Woodson community was a caller in the city yesterday.

Herbert Mawson of the Murrayville community was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baxter of near Strawn's Crossing were callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Bernice Winger of near Liberty was shopping in the city yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schone of near Concord were among Saturday afternoon shoppers in the city.

Ivan Cox of the Pisgah neighborhood was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

## 1936 Auto Licenses Sell at Rapid Rate

700,000 Plates Sold Already  
This Year

Chicago.—(AP)—Both mail and over-the-counter sales of Illinois automobile license plates are running at least a month ahead of last year, the secretary of state's office said today.

Almost half of the motorists in the state, which has been noted for the length of time allowed for purchase of plates, have secured the 1936 tags.

The 1935 registration was about 1,400,000, George Kinney of the secretary's office said, and at the close of business today nearly 700,000 sets of plates will have been issued.

AT BAILEY HOME  
Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Bailey and daughter Sally, of Indianapolis, Indiana, spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. Bailey's parents, Rev. W. M. Bailey and wife, 311 South Diamond street. They returned to their home Thursday morning.

## Mr. and Mrs. Bennet Entertain Children

### Mercedosa Home Scene Of Holiday Activity; Other News Of Interest

Mercedosa, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bennet entertained their children and families at Christmas dinner Wednesday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bennet and two children, Betty Ann and Billy, of Beardstown; Mr. and Mrs. James Bennet and sons, Paul and Kenneth, of near Beardstown; Mr. and Mrs. Irving Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Spears, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nunn and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bennet and family of this city and vicinity.

News Notes.  
Brack Poldis, who for many years was a resident of this city but who for the past several years has lived in Springfield, was accidentally killed Sunday when he was struck by an automobile. The deceased was 66 years old and is survived by his wife and several children.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Jane Waldo, pioneer resident of Mercedosa who had reached the unusual age of 102 years, 5 months and 10 days, were held from the Schaefer Funeral Home Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. N. S. Madden, pastor of the local M. E. church, assisted by Rev. George Springer of Jacksonville. The 23rd Psalm and other favorite Scripture passages of the deceased were read and favorite hymns, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," "Rock of Ages," "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "There is a Fountain" were sung by Mrs. Charles Harbert and Mrs. T. W. Burdick, with Mrs. L. H. Yost at the piano. The casket bearers were E. W. Davis, C. A. Kormeyer, C. J. Schmitt, W. F. Roegge, J. L. McLean and George Bates. Interment was in Oakland cemetery.

Miss Frances Hempel of Jacksonville is spending her vacation with relatives here.

Mrs. Orah Butcher visited a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Crum in Beardstown. Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Cox of Quincy were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schmitt Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schmitt and daughters Frederica and Norma, Harold Naylor and H. L. Deppie spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Fond at near Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Simon and family had as their guests Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Hudie and family of Bloomington and Mrs. Louise Blair and three children of Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Skinner and daughter Miss Bernice had as dinner guests Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Weghoff, Mrs. R. W. Freeland and children, Mrs. Elsie Kappel all of this city and Mrs. Lena Kinnert of Bushnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valery and Mrs. Elton Sute of Beardstown, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gard and daughter Patsy, Miss Louise Hale, Everett Hale, and D. F. Beauchamp were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hale in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Unland had as their guests Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hazel of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Berger and Chas. Wills of Elgin, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rhodes of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Chamberlain and daughter Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Steinberg and son Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schaefer, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Unland and family; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Unland and Miss Allene Unland.

O. D. Hale of Des Moines, Iowa, is spending the holidays with his mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Steinberg of Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Steinberg of east of town spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irving had as dinner guests Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mathews and family of Exeter; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lieb and family of Winchester, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Mathews and son of Beardstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hobbs had as their guests Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hobbs of last St. Louis; D. Hobbs, wife and children of Lewis; Ralph Habberfield and three children of Pekin; O. M. Hobbs and family of Pueblo, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. George Russwinkel, Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh and George Walsh of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Six and son Roger spent Wednesday with the former's parents in Buffalo.

Mrs. W. F. Baird and Mrs. Nora Baird of Springfield spent Thursday here guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chrisman and family.

Wilentz May Have  
To Pass on Issue

Gov. Hoffman's Authority to  
Grant Reprieve is Involved

Trenton, N. J.—(AP)—Attorney General David T. Wilentz, who prosecuted Bruno Richard Hauptmann for the Lindbergh baby slaying, may be asked to pass upon Governor Harold G. Hoffman's authority to grant the condemned man a reprieve.

The governor expressed belief yesterday that his authority to defer execution of Hauptmann, should the Court of Pardons deny him clemency, might have expired about May 13, 1935.

The state constitution provides for executive reprieve any time within 90 days after "conviction." Hauptmann was convicted at Flemington last Feb. 13.

The governor said that he might ask the attorney general to determine whether "conviction" meant the jury's verdict or the end of all legal moves by a condemned man's counsel in the higher courts.

Eighty per cent of the world's supply of chilled and frozen beef is purchased by Great Britain.

## Exeter

Exeter, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Six and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Six and son Gordon were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Six and family in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mathews and family were Christmas day visitors in Mercedosa at the home of the former's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irving.

Among those who spent Christmas in Jacksonville were Mr. and Mrs. Merrill and son Dick who spent the day at the home of Mrs. Brackett's mother, Mrs. Della Pennell and family.

David Orchard and sister, Armilla Orchard spent Christmas in Jacksonville at the home of their aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and daughter Margery and S. D. Orchard.

Miss Viola Cox and pupils gave a fine Christmas program Tuesday before a large audience. Santa Claus was present and distributed treats from the Christmas tree.

Mrs. Alice Sweeney and Mr. Brown of Springfield, Ill., and Howard Savoy and Miss Little of Naples were recent supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whitlock and Miss Louise Berry.

Robert Little of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is a visitor at the home of his aunt Mrs. Estelle Leble.

The Christian church gave an entertainment Sunday morning.

Give Bridge Party  
At Murrayville

Entertain At Symons Home;  
Other News Notes From  
Murrayville

Murrayville, Dec. 28.—Mrs. J. E. Symons and Mrs. Harry Cade entertained at a delightful dinner bridge Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Symons. During the evening five tables were kept in play. Prizes were awarded as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cade received first prize, Harry Cade floating prize and Miss Grace Jennings the guest prize.

Special guests of the evening were Mrs. W. A. Jones and the Misses Grace and Alma Jennings and Miss Southwell.

Others present include Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mawson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lettice, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cade, Mrs. S. B. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cade, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Symons, Mrs. George Edwards and Miss Martha Symons.

The Ladies Aid society of the Catholic church held a very successful card party Friday evening in Carlson's Hall.

Each and five hundred were played throughout the evening. Mrs. Martha Walsh received the prize for ladies in each and John Langdon for men.

Mrs. Wm. Lonergan received the prize for ladies in five hundred and William Lonergan for men.

Mrs. John Doelin was awarded the door prize.

During the evening refreshments were served by the committee in charge composed of Mrs. Tom Conlon, Mrs. Mae Shannahan, Mrs. Wm. Lonergan, Mrs. John Doelin, Miss Agnes Garvin, Miss Alma Langdon, Mrs. C. J. Lonergan and Mrs. Wm. Ring.

Mrs. C. L. Blakeman and niece, Peggy Hart were Springfield visitors Saturday.

Miss Lucille Waltz home economics teacher in the local high school, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents in Bloomington.

Miss Dorotha Fern Hanback of Waverly is a week-end guest of Miss Hazel Boserker.

Keldon Solomon attended a banquet given by the Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. at Peacock Inn Saturday evening.

Mrs. Florence Brookhouse of Jacksonville spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tendick and family.

Mrs. Sude Tannahill and Mrs. Lida Jones will be hostesses to the Past Noble Grand, Club at the home of Mrs. Tannahill on Friday afternoon, Jan. third.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold its monthly "Roll Call" in the social rooms of the church on Thursday afternoon, January second. The program committee is composed of Mrs. Sarah Mehrhoff, Mrs. Sada Million, Mrs. Nettie Story, Mrs. Amanda Ketner and Miss Hannah Atkinson.

The American Legion and Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday evening, January first.

Lindberghs May End  
Trip with Flight

Plane Awaiting Unknown  
Man at Belfast, Ireland

(Copyright, 1935, by the A.P.)  
Belfast, Ireland.—A possibility that Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and his family may leave the Freighter American Importer on its arrival in Ireland and complete their journey from the United States to England by plane developed today.

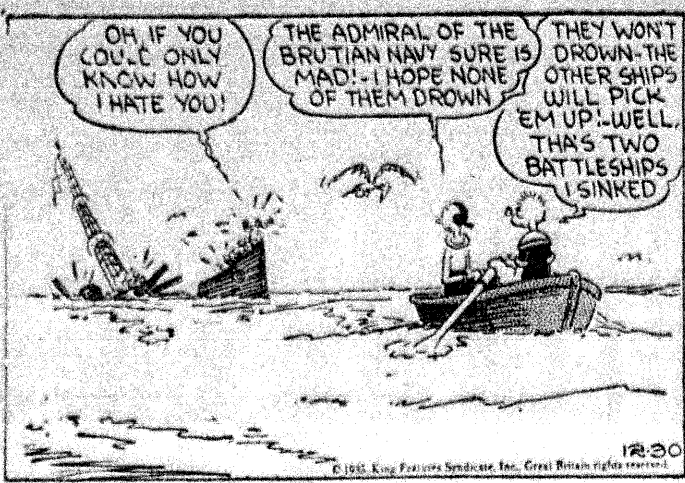
It was learned that a plane was standing by at the Aldergrove Royal Air Force







## THIMBLE THEATRE—Starring POPEYE



## "The Key To The City?"



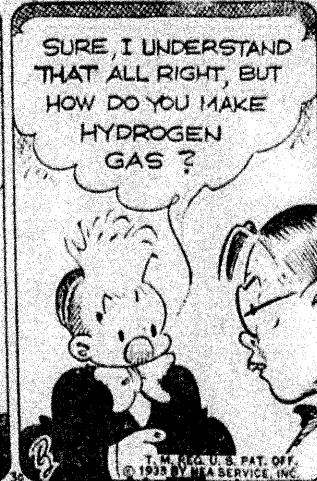
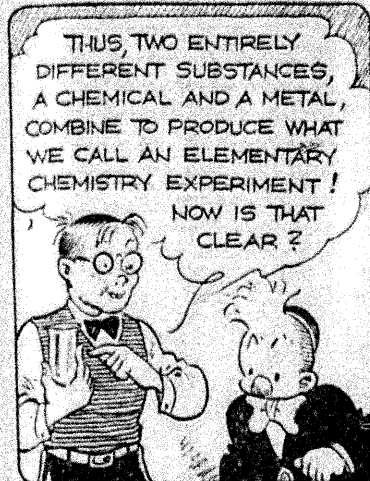
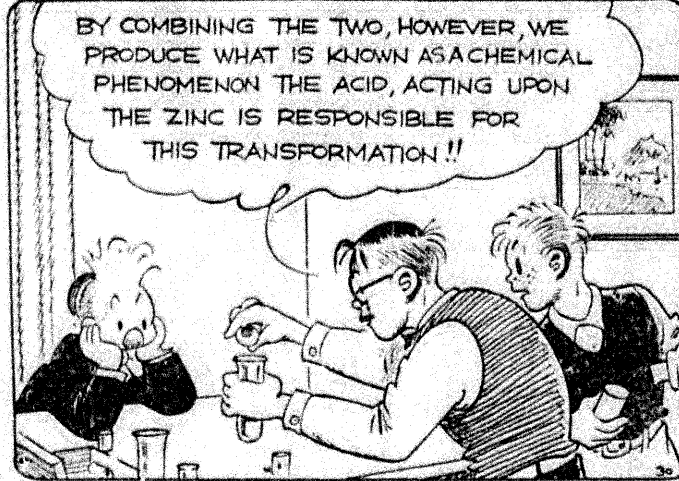
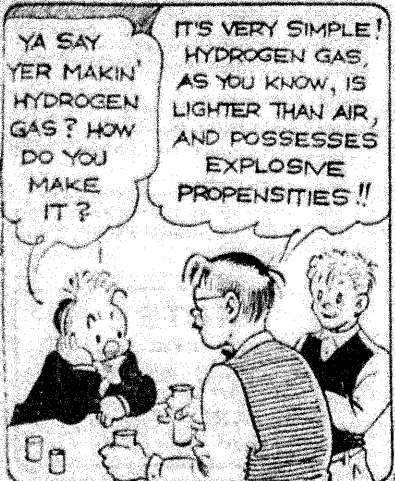
By E. C. SEGAR

## SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Don't go off the sidewalk—don't throw snowballs—don't step in the drifts—don't!"

## RECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

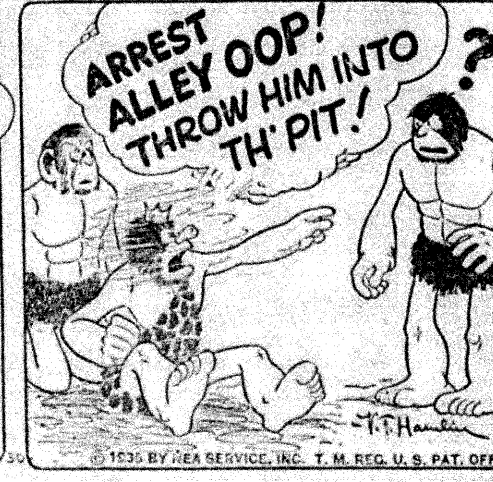
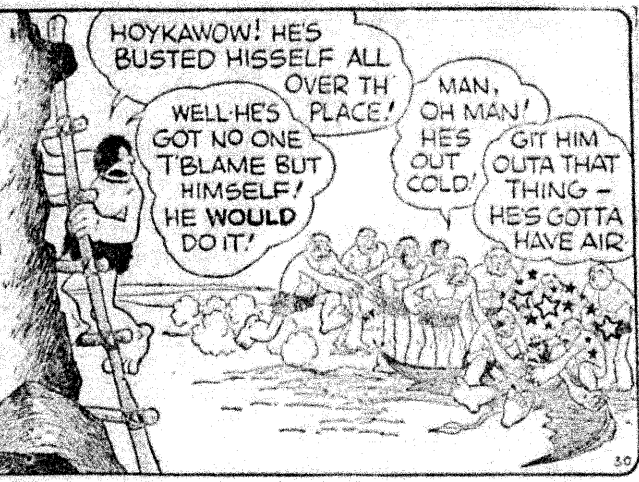
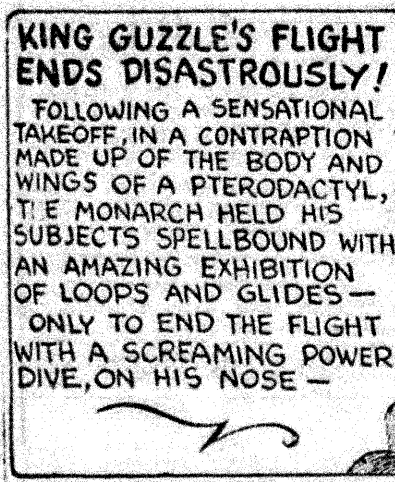


By BLOSSER

## ALLEY OOP

## Our Hero Gets the Blame

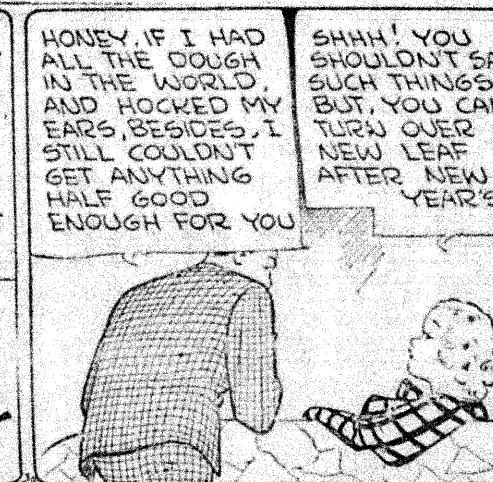
By HAMLIN



## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

## Proceed, Jimmy!

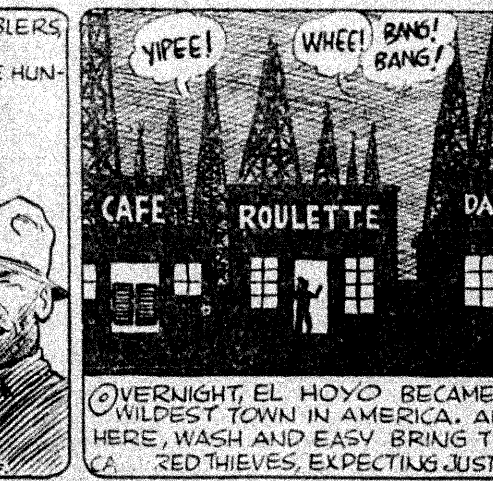
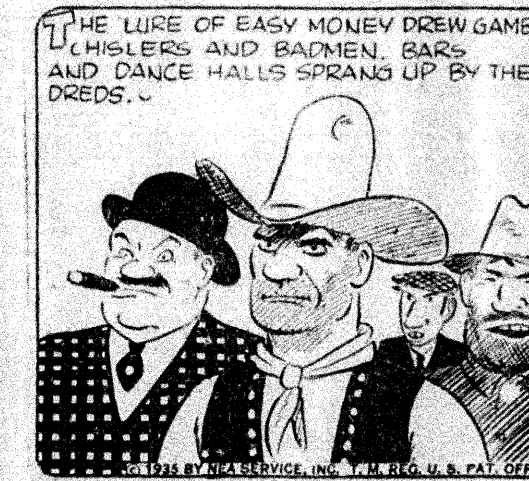
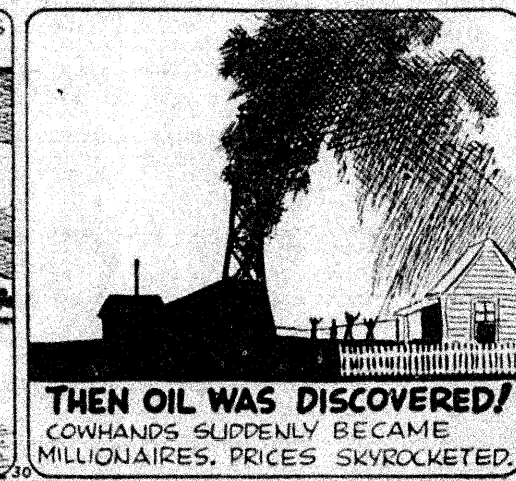
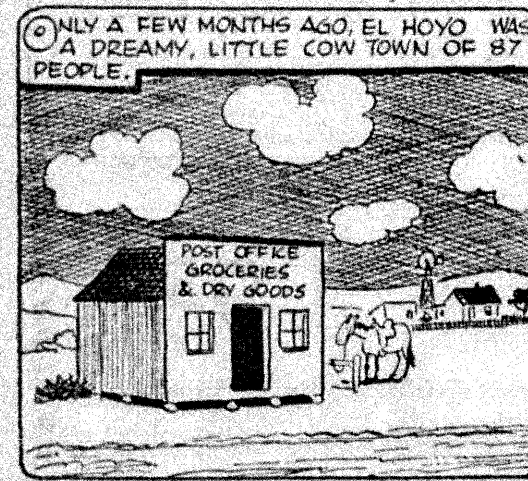
By MARTIN



## WASH TUBBS

## Of All Places!

By CRANE



## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

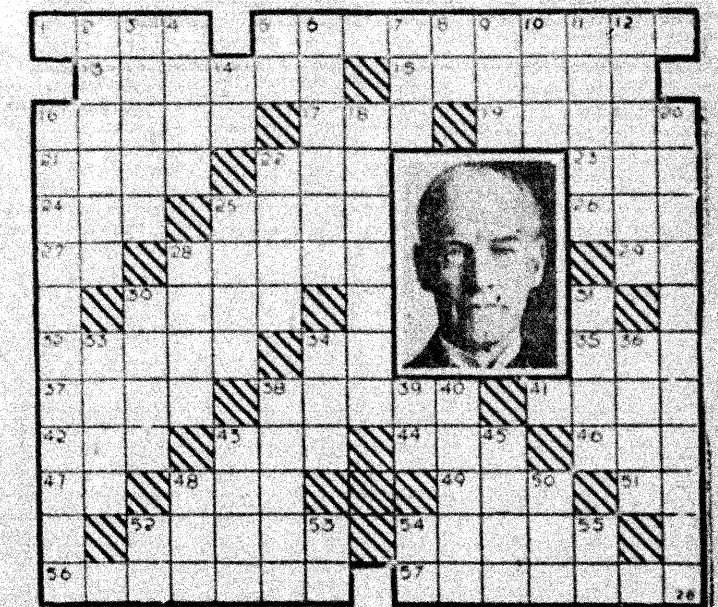
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By WILLIAMS



## Well-Known Writer

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34 Frozen desserts.	ETAPAE ALEE	48 Company.
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		53 Musical note.
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## CHRISTMAS FEASTS HELD IN SEVERAL JERSEYVILLE HOMES

Jerseyville—Mrs. S. B. Nolt was hostess at a Christmas dinner Wednesday at her home on North State street. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Keehner and son; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. May, Miss Laura Nott, all of Jerseyville, and Miss Susan Nott of Springfield.

County treasurer and Mrs. Perry Shaw entertained at dinner at their home here in Christmas Day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Campbell of East Alton; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Coombs and daughter of Fieldon; Mr. and Mrs. George Luman and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Peters of Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Neely entertained at dinner at their home on Barr avenue Wednesday. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Naffziger of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. James Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Louch and son of Alton; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Seago, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Powell and family, Mrs. Nettie Ryan and Miss Cora Powell of this city.

Mrs. Gussie Howell of this city had as her guests at dinner on Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. John Nevius, Mrs. Edward Stanley, Judge and Mrs. Fred W. Howell and family; Dr. and Mrs. J. Lewis Hornell and son, Sydney.

## Property Will Go Higher in 1936

SPECIAL! We offer a New Bungalow, 15 years to pay!

## C. O. Bayha No. 1 Unity Bldg.

## Today's Almanac

December 30th

1853—President Franklin Pierce signs the Gadsden Purchase treaty.

1873—Alfred B. Smith, American statesman, born.

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Time to practise writing the date 1936 in preparation for check writing activities the first of the month.

## Our Prayer for You and Yours.

We pray the prayer the Easterners do,  
May the Peace of Allah abide with you,  
Wherever you stay, wherever you go,  
May the beautiful Palms of Allah grow,  
Through the day of labor and night of rest,  
May the Love of Allah make you blest,  
So we touch our heart, as the Easterners do—  
May the Peace of Allah abide with you.

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## Youth Conference Sessions Open At 9 A.M. Tomorrow

Nearly 300 Delegates To  
Gather From Central  
Illinois Area

Nearly 300 young people from a wide area of the state are expected to gather here Monday and Tuesday for the Central Illinois Youth Conference, to be held at Central Christian church. The meeting is one of a series of three being held at various points in the state the last two days in the year.

Plans are complete for entertaining the visitors in Jacksonville and Morgan county homes Monday night. A full program of sessions for the two days has been arranged, with a fellowship dinner and conference from Monday evening.

A corps of trained discussion leaders and general speakers will appear on the conference program, as follows:

Bruce McCullough, president, State Christian Endeavor.  
Earl C. Morgan, director religious education, Presbyterian church.  
Mrs. Louise Helmick, Millikin University.

Loren Spear, Rushville, M. E. church.  
Dr. Freda Gamper, MacMurray College.

Mrs. T. B. Lugs, Jacksonville.  
O. T. Mattox, director religious education, Disciples church.

F. A. Lindhorst, director religious education, M. E. church.  
L. H. Koehler, director religious education, Baptist church.

Mahlon Gammie, representative National Methodist Council.  
Charles E. Shike, Illinois Church Council.

John W. Pugh, general secretary, Y.M.C.A., Springfield.  
W. M. Gammon, director religious education, Congregational church.

Roy E. Dickerson, author "So Youth May Know."  
Dr. N. F. Forsythe, director of leadership training for the Board of Education of the M. E. church, will guide the thinking of all persons interested in improving leadership in the local church.

The official conference program for the two days has been announced as follows:

**Monday**  
9:30—Registration.  
9:30—Worship, L. B. Hazard, chairman Illinois Youth Movements Commission.

9:50—Address, "Old World Youth Movements."  
10:10—Address, "Christian Youth's New World."

10:30—Discussion groups, North American Christian Youth Program.  
1:30—Learner, Negro Spirituals, Jerome Slaughter, leader Liberty Chorus, Springfield.

2:00—Address and forum, "A New Home."  
3:00—Discussion groups.  
4:00—Illinois Youth Council.

4:15—Worship, W. A. Richards, president Jacksonville Ministerial Alliance.  
4:30—Adjournment.

6:00—Dinner and fellowship hour.  
7:30—"Christian Community," panel discussion.

8:00—Conference, Profrin, Freda Combs, Y. P. director, Mason county.  
**Tuesday**

8:30—Worship, Erlend Ericson.  
8:50—Address, "A New Person."  
9:30—General announcements.

9:50—Discussion groups.  
11:00—Address and forum, "A New Nation."

1:30—Conference forum, L. H. Koehler.  
3:00—Closing worship, Dr. M. L. Pontius, pastor host.  
Communion service.

**PLEASANT HILL**  
**NEWS OF INTEREST**  
**WRITTEN TO JOURNAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mills entertained a few friends with a card party in their home Saturday night. First prizes were won by Mrs. Orla Mills and Mrs. Loneragan, second to Mrs. John Becker and Ted Mills. The floating prize was awarded to Mrs. Francis Becker. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Walsh and family spent Christmas day with Mrs. Thomas Walsh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Loneragan and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pembroke and family near Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ring and family spent Thursday with Mrs. Thomas Walsh and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Henry from Versailles, Ill., Miss Nedra Taylor, Miss Edna Rose Nichols and Rex Parmehough and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Butler and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCurley and family and enjoyed a turkey dinner.

Cyril McCurley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry home for a few days' visit.

Jep Henry of Chandlerville is spending Christmas vacation with his daughter and Mrs. Amos McCurley and family.

Miss Esther Millon and pupils have a nice program Tuesday afternoon which will be followed by Santa Claus and treat for all from a large Christmas tree. School is out for Christmas and New Year's vacation and will open Jan. 8th.

**Charlie Rodgers To Play At Elks Club**

This annual gain fun-fest and dance to the delightful strains of Charlie Rodgers and his Rhythm Masters will be held New Year's Eve at the Elks club, from 10 P. M. till 2:30 with novelties and favors for all. Mr. Rodgers and his band was previously scheduled to play at the New Dunlap Hotel, but that date will not be held.

(Adv.)

## ANNUAL BANQUET OF ROUTT ALUMNI TO BE HELD MONDAY

The annual Routt College Alumni banquet will be held Monday evening at six-thirty o'clock in the K. of C. club rooms instead of the Liberty Hall as previously announced. Joseph Shanahan, president of the Routt Alumni, has been in charge of the arrangements.

Willard Wagner, of the class of '24, will act as toastmaster of the evening and Joseph Shanahan will extend the welcome to the old "grads." Margaret Cain, a member of the present senior class, will make a few brief remarks to which the response on the part of the alumni will be given by Margaret A. Ring of the class of '06. The Rev. F. F. Forness will deliver the address.

The Alumni dance will be held after the banquet in the Routt Auditorium from the hours of 9 to 12 o'clock. The music will be furnished by the Colonial Club Orchestra.

## Declares Numerous Motor Accidents May Be Avoided

City Engineer Stapleton  
Issues Statement On  
Highway Safety

"Just now the issue is to crusade for highway safety," stated Kenneth Stapleton, city engineer, in an interview Saturday. "Through a number of agencies the public is being made thoroughly conscious of the toll taken by motor accidents." said Engineer Stapleton. "While a lot of this crusading is designed to foster prejudice against highway transportation or to cash in on a new variety of literary thrill, the stark fact remains that many motor accidents can be avoided. Many lives needlessly sacrificed can be saved and many more victims can be spared the agony of grievous and permanent injury."

"The assumption appears to be that the recklessness and indifference are chiefly responsible for highway accidents."

"But to achieve substantial progress toward this admirable objective, we must do more than stimulate fear in the individual driver."

**State Set-up.**

"Until the state set up and enforces adequate proficiency tests for all drivers, until they establish compulsory insurance, or some other guaranty of responsibility, until they deal more realistically and courageously with the parking abuse, until other and equally obvious regulations of this sort have been achieved, we still have a broad margin within which to reduce driver-hazards without terrorizing the vast majority of competent, considerate and responsible automobile owners."

"But even conceding the big job that must be done on the driver, let us remember that his conduct is not the only highway hazard. The vehicle itself may be a contributing factor, although, in all fairness we can ascribe to it but slight responsibility. Despite a few cases in which the demand for ex-stress styling have so tucked away the driver that he needs a periscope to see the outside world and its traffic, the fact is that the motor manufacturer has embodied in their cars every device that scientific resource and engineering skill can offer to increase driving safety. Every year sees more and more progress on this score; today the modern car is amazingly safe for the conditions under which it operates."

**Roads Designs.**

"The highway engineer knows how to design roads that can reduce substantially the number of highway accidents; he knows also that every accident that is not economically practicable to provide universally his engineering safeguards. For all our pious words, as a community, still let a dollar and cents limit to what we are willing to pay to reduce the chances of 'sudden death.' But despite that limitation the engineer knows that he can prescribe economically sound remedies for many accidents that no take for granted or blame on the driver."

"Hundreds of curves must be eased off and re-banked, grades must be reduced, more trustworthy surfacing must be laid, busy stretches must be widened with center strips to separate opposing traffic lanes, many grade crossings must be eliminated and others more adequately protected, every mile of the main routes must be restudied to improve visibility in the light of modern speed."

"These changes with the building and maintenance of the public highways can help materially in the fight for safer highways by putting into practice what engineering science has taught us during recent years. But they need the wherewithal to do it, and every citizen who would do his utmost in behalf of highway safety will see to it that no economy agitation is permitted to obstruct the provisions of the funds they so sorely need to do their part."

**CONCORD MASONS  
INSTALL OFFICERS**

N. D. Morse Lodge 346, A. F. and A. M. of Concord recently held its installation of officers. The officers installed were:

W. M.—M. O. Smith.  
S. W.—B. A. Cratz.

J. W.—C. O. Bayless.  
Treasurer—W. H. Higgins.

Secretary—Glenn Eagle.  
S. D.—Frank Kellor.

J. D.—William Stout.  
S. S.—J. A. Teeks.

J. S.—Harry Hart.  
Chaplain—C. E. Newton.

Marshal—V. I. Ball.

**RETURN TO CHICAGO.**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Rodriguez returned to Chicago this morning after spending the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends in Jacksonville.

## Local Board Of Education Votes To Hold Bond Bid

Continue Efforts To Obtain  
New Grade School  
Buildings

Voting to hold the bid of the Harris Trust and Savings Bank, of Chicago, and the Elliott State Bank of Jacksonville for the \$125,000 in bonds authorized at the recent school district election, the board of education at a meeting Saturday afternoon continued its efforts to secure two new grade school buildings for the city, although the prospect continued to look dark.

No decision on the next step will be made until the building committee of the local board and the architect, Hubert Smith, have had a chance to discuss the problem. The board is \$17,751 short in the amount of money needed to complete the two school program, and is making an effort to finance the additional cost.

The architect is expected in the city next Tuesday at which time the building committee will call the plans again in an effort to eliminate some of the items in order to bring the cost of construction to the actual \$102,000 estimated when the project was instituted. There is considerable doubt that this can be satisfactorily done, in view of the board's desire not to cheapen the building.

The board also expects to take the matter direct to C. H. Bauer, state treasurer of PWA, in an effort to get the amount of the grant increased. The increase is sought to take care of the increased cost of labor, which brought the cost of the first of the proposed units over \$17,000 above the estimated cost of construction.

An offer, dated Dec. 21, by the PWA estimated cost of construction. To grant the school district 45 percent of the cost of construction upon completion, an amount not to exceed \$22,454, was accepted in a resolution passed by the board. The offer and resolution call for the funds to be used in the construction of two grade school buildings.

The Harris Trust and Elliott bank joint bid, for the \$125,000 bonds, offered a premium of \$772 for the bonds in addition to par value on a three percent bank and a premium of \$2,420 for bonds issued with a 3 1/2 percent interest rate. The bid provided that the local board should furnish the opinion of a reputable bond approving firm. The White-Phillips Corporation bid a \$430 premium on the three percent bonds and agreed to furnish the opinion, and a premium of \$2,550.41 on the three and a half percent bonds.

The board promised to give the Elliott and Harris Trust bidders definite information upon the acceptance of their offer by the end of next week.

## Fire Destroys Cass Farm Home

One Of Oldest Residences In  
Virginia Vicinity  
Burns Saturday

Virginia, Dec. 28.—Fire destroyed a brick house on the Albert Murry farm this morning at five o'clock. The fire was of undetermined origin, and the building destroyed was one of the oldest in this vicinity. The Murry farm is south-west of this city, in the Providence community, and the house which was burned was built in 1849. The home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nisbet, grand-parents of Mrs. Murry. It was a brick structure, and the brick from which it was built was made and burned not far from the home, and the finishing lumber was shipped by boat on the Ohio river, and transferred to Illinois river, landing at Beardstown, then one of the chief cities in this part of Illinois.

The house was built of the best material and the workmanship done so thoroughly and honestly that the house has stood for nearly a century. More than thirty years ago, the Nisbet family built a more modern house not far from the site of the old one, and since then the brick house has been used for storage purposes. The Nisbet family were among the fine old pioneer families, and land owned by them was used as a building site for a school-house and church and for a cemetery, but the church has been abandoned for some years, though the school-house and cemetery are still used.

**News Notes**

Miss Rex Black was a Springfield visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Auwarter and sons spent the Christmas vacation in Minonk with Mrs. Auwarter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parks.

Miss Audrey Pair of the Roodhouse schools, spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pair.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cruff and son spent the past week in Warsaw.

**HOWARD W. MEYERS,  
MARIE GOTSCHALL WED**

Miss Marie Aileen Gotschall of this city and Howard W. Meyers of Markham were united in marriage at 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of Rev. William J. Boston, 903 North Church street.

They were attended by Raymond Gotschall, brother of the bride, and Miss Marie Barber of Jacksonville. The groom is a farmer and the couple will reside near Markham.

**LINCOLN COUPLE WED  
HERE SATURDAY**

A marriage ceremony was performed yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the office of Justice of the Peace C. S. Smith uniting Miss Helen Marie Klages and Russell Holiday, both of Lincoln.

Fred Klages, brother of the bride, and Mrs. Fred Klages were the attendants. The single ring ceremony was used.

The groom is a farmer and the couple will reside near Lincoln.

## Pipe the Mayor at His Ease!



Informal indeed in a moment of relaxation is Hizzoner the mayor of New York, shown here as he leans back in a comfortable position to light his corn-cob pipe. But Fiorello H. LaGuardia isn't often seen in such restful repose. He's usually out on the firing line, his latest campaign being directed at market racketeers, in which he banned the sale of small antiques in the metropolis.

## William Dunlap Of White Hall Taken By Death

Demise Of Greene County  
Man Occurs Here Saturday;  
Funeral Monday

White Hall, Dec. 28.—William Dunlap passed away Saturday morning at a hospital in Jacksonville after an extended illness at the age of 56 years. Mr. Dunlap is survived by his wife and four sons, Calvin, Garnet, Virgil and Leo.

The deceased formerly lived at the Smith Orchard near Patterson where he was employed for 18 years. When his health began to fail him two years ago he moved to Glasgow and was brought to the hospital in Jacksonville last summer.

The body was brought to the Dawdy Funeral Home in White Hall and the funeral will be held at two o'clock Monday afternoon at the Tabernacle Baptist church. The service will be conducted by Rev. Lemuel Moore, a Baptist minister at Drake and burial will be in the White Hall cemetery.

## Manchester Church Conference To Meet

Methodists Will Consider Ap-  
plicants For Pulpit;  
Other News Notes

Manchester, December 28.—A quarterly conference will be held at the Methodist church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, to consider the appointment of a new pastor, as Rev. A. E. C. Pentland the present pastor has been appointed to a new charge at Assumption, Ill. Rev. Pentland has held the Manchester and Rockledge pastorate for the past five and one half years and was greatly regretted the moving of Rev. Pentland and wife.

**News Notes**

Carl Simmons north of Manchester and Miss Mary Clark of Roodhouse were united in marriage Thursday December 26th at the home of Rev. Eldon Peck, pastor of the Baptist church at Nebo, Ill. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark of Roodhouse and a graduate of the Roodhouse high school. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carey Simmons, north of Manchester and is a graduate of the Manchester high school. They will make their home for the present with her parents.

Miss Aline Johnson entertained her Sunday School class of the Baptist S. S. at the church basement on Friday afternoon.

Miss Lyndall Johnson of Roodhouse spent Thursday night with her cousin Miss Fern Brown.

Rev. and Mrs. A. E. C. Pentland spent Friday evening with Rev. and Mrs. Milton Wilson at Roodhouse.

Mr. H. A. Langdon was hostess to the Stitches and Chatter club on Thursday afternoon. Seven members including the hostess, were present. A social afternoon was enjoyed and delicious refreshments served by the hostess.

Miss Guy Brown and daughter Florence Catherine went to Winchester Thursday for a few days' visit with the former's cousin, Mrs. Nora Bean and family.

Mrs. C. M. McGee returned to her home in Baylis after a three weeks' visit with her son, R. L. McConnell and family.

Miss Glenna Cuddy is spending a few days with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Henry at Jacksonville.

**HENRY L. HOYT WEDS  
MISS EDITH MORROW**

Wedding rites were read at seven o'clock Saturday evening at St. Edith Morrow of Baylis, Ill., and Henry L. Hoyt of Detroit, Mich., by Dr. M. L. Pontius at the Central Christian church parsonage.

The groom, a native of Barry, Ill., is employed with the Cadillac Co. in Detroit, Mich. The couple left immediately after the ceremony for their home in Detroit.

**AT HAVIGHURST HOME**

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## Miss Maud Sperry Winchester School Teacher Is Dead

Woman Who Taught For 52  
Years Passes Away At Local  
Hospital

Winchester, Dec. 28.—Last rites for Miss Maud Sperry, Winchester public school teacher with a record of more than 52 years of service, will be held Monday afternoon in the Methodist church at 2 o'clock. Rev. F. V. Wright, Baptist pastor, will be in charge assisted by Rev. J. A. Chapman of the Methodist church.

Aged seventy-one years at the time of her death, "Miss Maud" had retired from active service at the end of the last school year in June. The deceased brought public honor and recognition from the Winchester grade board and other civic organizations. In several instances she had been privileged to instruct the third grade.

All but the first two years of her teaching career were spent in the town grade school, and 45 of them in the second grade.

Miss Sperry passed away at 5 a. m. yesterday at Our Saviour's hospital in Jacksonville after an illness of brief duration. She entered the hospital Monday evening. Remains were taken to the Danvers Funeral Home in this city and later removed to the home of Judge and Mrs. John A. McKee, Mrs. McKee is a sister of the deceased, with whom Miss Sperry made her home.

Following the funeral services, interment will be made in Winchester cemetery.

## Bluffs Woman Is Hostess At Party

Mrs. Effie Burrus Scores  
High At Party Given By  
Mrs. Gladys Arnold

Bluffs, Ill., Dec. 28.—Mrs. Gladys Arnold entertained at two tables of bridge in her home here Friday afternoon. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Effie Burrus, while second high score prize was awarded to Mrs. Elmer Herman. The guests for the afternoon included: Mrs. Effie Burrus, Mrs. Martha Arnold, Mrs. Louise Robinson, Mrs. Ruth Placke, Mrs. Elmer Herman, Mrs. Lena Morholt and Mrs. Emma Thompson.

**News Notes**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turman of Bloomington spent Christmas with Mr. Burrus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Burrus.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Norstip and Mrs. Ella McCaleb left Saturday morning for Mulzanne, Kansas, where they will spend several days visiting relatives.

Marjorie and Annabelle Norstip are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. Elmer Brockhouse, in Beardstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rich and daughters, Mary and Dorothy, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Knoepfel of St. Louis.

Miss Grace Six and Miss Gladys Six of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Six.

Mrs. Jim Steele was a Jacksonville caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker and sons, Toddy and Nell, spent Christmas with relatives in Quincy.

Mrs. Helen Lankford and daughters, Bernice and Beatrice, of Quincy, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Mary Knippenberg of Beardstown is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Six and family.

Mrs. Wayne Masterson was a Jacksonville shopper Friday.

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## Springer Held To Pike County Grand Jury For Killing

Preliminary Hearing In  
Pittsfield For Milton Man  
Who Killed Father

Loren Springer, 20, who admitted before an inquest jury here Friday that he fired the shot which fatally wounded his father, Charles Springer, 64, at their farm home near Milton, was bound over at Pittsfield yesterday to await action of the Pike county grand jury, on a charge of murder. Charles Springer died at Our Saviour's hospital Thursday afternoon about seven hours after the shooting.

A preliminary hearing was held Saturday morning in the court of Justice P. E. Aldrich at Pittsfield. A new witness in the case was Frank McCann of Idaho, the "Uncle Frank" mentioned by young Springer in his testimony at the inquest. McCann spent a week at the Springer home visiting his brother-in-law, whom he had not seen for thirty years.

McCann told the court yesterday that the elder Springer told him he had had trouble with his son and that each had made threats against the other. McCann also said that Springer talked to him freely enough, but became moody on Tuesday before Christmas and would not talk to anyone in the home.

Dr. Frank Johnson of Milton, who was called to the Springer home after the shooting, repeated the testimony given at the inquest and simplified the "deathbed" statement he said Springer gave him. He said that the wounded man seemed especially bitter against his son, and said to him before leaving the house for the hospital, "You know you meant to kill me."

State's Attorney Merrill Johnson conducted the prosecution at the hearing. He was fixed at \$1500, which Springer failed to furnish. The prosecutor expressed himself as not satisfied with the amount of the bond, regarding it as too low. The case will come before the grand jury at the April term of the circuit court.

The trouble which the Springers are said to have had concerned the operation of the farm, which was a partnership enterprise. McCann in his testimony somewhat minimized the actions of the elder Springer in refusing to talk to members of the family the day before Christmas.

Mrs. Loren Springer, who testified at the inquest here, was not placed on the stand at the preliminary hearing. The defendant, who told his story calmly before the coroner's jury seemed rather nervous at the hearing yesterday, it was reported.

## Vern Vincent Weds Isabel Kirchner

Beardstown Couple Wed  
Christmas Day; Other  
Cass News

Beardstown, Dec. 28.—Miss Isabel Kirchner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirchner 1220 East Sixth street and Vern Vincent, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vincent of Beardstown were married here Christmas day. The Rev. T. J. M. Crapp pronounced the wedding services at the parsonage of the Methodist church.

The attendants were Miss Jeanette Caldwell and Douglas Kirchner, bridesmaid and the bride.

After a wedding dinner served at the home of the bride the couple left for Wood River, Ill., where they will make their home.